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Time of Issuance and Scope of Coming Crop Reports

June 10, 1935, Monday, 3 p. m., reports as of June 1 on condition and indicated production of winter wheat, rye, peaches, and pears; condition of spring wheat, oats, barley, hay, pasture, and apples; for certain States reports on condition of potatoes, grapes, cherries, citrus fruits, and miscellaneous fruits and nuts; and stocks of barley and rye on farms June 1.

On or about June 28, 1935, report on the 1935 spring pig crop and intentions to breed for the fall crop.

General Crop Report as of April 1, 1935

April reports on winter grains, pastures, and a few early southern crops give the impression that in most of the country crop prospects are about average for this season of the year but that a very serious drought situation still exists in the Great Plains States, including an area which normally produces about 15 percent of the agricultural output of the United States. In the 10 States chiefly affected more than 40 percent of the winter wheat seeded last fall is expected to fail and liberal rainfall is urgently needed to revive pastures, wild hay, and alfalfa and to permit the seeding of spring crops. In the intermountain area, considering prospective supplies of irrigation water, crop prospects are better than they were a year ago but they are still somewhat below average. On the Pacific coast prospects seem well above average. In the East winter damage to grain and grass has been light and no unusual conditions have developed.

In practically all States there is a shortage of feed, and livestock is on short rations. The total supply of corn and oats on farms on April 1 was only 15,600,000 tons, which is little more than half the average April 1 supply on farms during the past 9 years and is only about equal to the usual quantity of these grains fed on farms between April 1 and July 1.

Winter Wheat.—Production of winter wheat in 1935 is forecast at 435,499,000 bushels compared with 405,034,000 bushels produced in 1934 and 350,792,000 bushels in 1933. In the important winter wheat area including western Nebraska, Kansas, and Oklahoma, the Texas Panhandle and eastern Colorado and New Mexico, winter wheat was sown under extremely adverse conditions last fall and continued moisture deficiency has resulted in a large proportion of the acreage being abandoned. In the worst sections of this area, complete loss of acreage is reported. From the eastern Great Plains to the Atlantic seaboard moisture supplies have been ample for the requirements of the crop and average or better yields are in prospect in most of the eastern Corn Belt. Farther east, precipitation has been somewhat in excess of the optimum and yields are expected to be slightly below average. In the Pacific Northwest the winter wheat acreage was seeded later than usual and spring growth has been retarded by cool weather. Abandonment has been slight, however, and the present moisture situation is favorable.

Condition of winter wheat on April 1 was reported at 69.8 percent of normal, compared with 74.3 percent on the same date in 1934 and the 10-year average (1923–32) April 1 condition of 78.9 percent.

Present indications point to an abandonment of about 28 percent of the sown acreage. In 1934 the abandonment amounted to 21.3 percent and the 10-year average (1923–32) was 12.6 percent. Prospective abandonment is generally below average in the Pacific Coast States and east of the Missouri River, but far above average in the Western Plains States.

Stocks of Grain on Farms.—Stocks of wheat on farms on April 1, 1935, were estimated at 93,699,000 bushels, compared with 116,298,000 bushels on April 1, 1934, and 183,185,000 bushels on April 1, 1933. Net farm disappearance during the last quarter was about the usual percentage of the crop, but was the lowest in many years in absolute quantity.

Farm stocks of corn on April 1, 1935, were only 438,180,000 bushels compared with 841,498,000 bushels on April 1, 1934, and 1,128,122,000 bushels on April 1, 1933. Although disappearance during the last quarter was small in quantity it was unusually large in relation to the size of the crop.

Farm stocks of oats on April 1, 1935, were estimated at 208,185,000 bushels, compared with 275,425,000 bushels on April 1, 1934, and 467,976,000 bushels on April 1, 1933. Disappearance during the last quarter was about the usual percentage of the crop.

Rye.—Rye condition on April 1 was reported at 76.4 percent of normal compared with 63.8 percent a year ago and the 10-year average April 1 condition of 82.3 percent. Deficient moisture conditions throughout a large section in the strip of States from Texas and Oklahoma to Montana and Idaho reduced rye condition in this general area to much below that of a year ago. Better weather conditions in other States, particularly the Dakotas, Minnesota, and Wisconsin, have resulted in an April 1 rye condition for the country as a whole which is well above that of last year, although it failed to reach the 10-year average.

Peaches.—The condition of the peach crop in the 10 southern peach States, as of April 1, averaged 73.2 percent, or slightly less than the 73.7 percent condition reported as of April 1, 1934, and 6.6 points above the 66.6 percent average condition for the 9-year period, 1924–32. Conditions were about average, or above, in all these States except Arkansas and Florida. The conditions of the crop as reported in the States east of the Mississippi River, which include the two heaviest producing States, were fairly uniform and unusually good. In North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia, bloom has been heavy and the set of fruit good. Orchards have been well cared for and are in good condition. Winter and spring weather conditions have been favorable and insect damage negligible so far.

In Arkansas, peach trees went into the winter with buds fewer and weaker than usual because of the heavy 1934 production and subsequent drought conditions. Considerable damage was done by freezes during last January. The greater part of the commercial crop is made up of Elbertas and this variety has suffered most. Except for the light bloom, the fruit has set well.

In a general way, available reports indicate that in the States north and east of Virginia, peach crop prospects are decidedly unfavorable but that elsewhere prospects range from fair to excellent.

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Estimated Crop Conditions Apr. 1, 1935, with Comparisons

State	Winter wheat						Rye			Pasture		
	Condition Apr. 1			Production			Condition Apr. 1			Condition Apr. 1		
	Average, 1923–32	1934	1935	Average, 1928–32	1934	Indicated Apr. 1, 1935	Average, 1923–32	1934	1935	Average, 1924–32	1934	1935
	Percent	*Percent*	*Percent*	*1,000 bu.*	*1,000 bu.*	*1,000 bu.*	*Percent*	*Percent*	*Percent*	*Percent*	*Percent*	*Percent*
Maine										91	87	90
New Hampshire										93	87	80
Vermont										95	80	87
Massachusetts										88	87	92
Rhode Island										91	80	72
Connecticut										88	86	89
New York	84	71	86	4,243	4,284	5,206	86	77	85	85	74	73
New Jersey	86	82	85	1,165	1,127	1,071	90	85	92	84	81	86
Pennsylvania	81	68	88	17,205	14,654	15,558	84	71	88	81	71	82
Ohio	73	74	91	30,251	33,350	38,892	80	79	91	79	69	79
Indiana	75	78	90	26,279	32,010	33,853	82	81	90	78	69	82
Illinois	76	83	89	30,079	29,218	32,830	86	84	90	81	71	81
Michigan	82	63	86	15,343	10,976	16,400	84	68	86	79	65	70
Wisconsin	84	67	92	600	207	540	86	67	93	81	66	82
Minnesota	81	58	90	3,283	790	2,644	83	65	85	82	54	67
Iowa	86	81	78	6,698	2,750	4,736	90	80	90	87	71	73
Missouri	79	83	89	20,217	21,266	25,380	84	81	85	81	65	73
North Dakota							77	53	58	74	44	33
South Dakota	80	37	49	1,867	168	290	82	38	68	78	36	35
Nebraska	82	80	62	54,169	15,008	26,140	87	73	67	85	72	48
Kansas	77	70	47	177,054	79,663	78,290	82	78	60	82	64	38
Delaware	87	80	87	1,800	1,539	1,620	87	79	85	79	80	83
Maryland	82	71	89	8,648	7,934	6,912	84	74	94	77	64	84
Virginia	81	66	90	9,220	8,092	7,488	83	69	90	77	57	87
West Virginia	78	64	89	1,643	1,974	2,146	84	67	87	79	62	87
North Carolina	84	71	88	3,653	4,340	5,060	85	76	86	80	63	85
South Carolina	77	73	82	575	765	836	79	71	77	70	53	68
Georgia	76	77	82	510	756	720	78	75	82	72	57	76
Florida										79	70	64
Kentucky	77	70	91	3,002	4,250	4,032	80	73	91	76	57	87
Tennessee	79	74	88	2,918	3,392	3,190	80	75	87	74	60	84
Alabama	80	71	82	34	66	74				70	54	77
Mississippi										72	63	78
Arkansas	81	80	87	247	297	400				76	63	78
Louisiana										72	62	73
Oklahoma	80	71	64	55,145	37,348	36,540	81	69	63	74	61	65
Texas	80	62	41	41,083	25,749	7,872	78	71	58	78	64	64
Montana	79	78	79	8,800	8,820	10,030	82	76	75	78	72	54
Idaho	89	85	88	13,252	8,208	10,355	94	98	90	88	88	77
Wyoming	86	72	41	1,711	481	360	87	75	35	87	75	40
Colorado	77	72	9	13,051	3,760	1,088	80	83	28	84	80	27
New Mexico	75	49	29	3,712	561	540				79	64	36
Arizona	92	89	92	602	1,000	1,035				88	81	90
Utah	91	84	86	3,358	1,606	2,275	92	76	82	87	79	73
Nevada	94	96	94	69	60	69				87	90	56
Washington	78	95	88	28,039	21,247	26,092	81	92	87	84	92	75
Oregon	88	88	82	17,610	8,874	13,680	90	86	88	89	96	76
California	81	85	89	11,046	8,384	11,250				84	84	97
United States	78.9	74.3	69.8	618,186	405,034	435,499	82.3	63.8	76.4	80.8	67.1	68.7

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Crop	Apr. 1 condition				Production			
	Average 1923–32	1933	1934	1935	Average 1928–32	1933	1934	Indicated Apr. 1, 1935
UNITED STATES								
	Pct.	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*1,000 bu.*	*1,000 bu.*	*1,000 bu.*	*1,000 bu.*
Winter wheat	78.9	59.4	74.3	69.8	618,186	350,792	405,034	435,499
Rye	[1] 82.3	72.5	63.8	76.4				
Pasture	[1] 80.8	72.0	67.1	68.7				
SOUTHERN STATES								
Early potatoes [2]	[1] 77.5	72.5	75.0	76.2				
Peaches	[1] 66.6	47.2	73.7	73.2				

Grain Stocks on Farms on Apr. 1

Crop	1932		1933		1934		1935	
UNITED STATES								
	Pct. [3]	*1,000 bu.*	*Pct.* [3]	*1,000 bu.*	*Pct.* [3]	*1,000 bu.*	*Pct.* [3]	*1,000 bu.*
Corn [4]	41.0	913,666	44.9	1,128,122	41.3	841,198	33.6	438,180
Wheat	18.2	169,990	21.6	483,185	22.0	116,298	18.9	93,699
Oats	32.5	365,791	37.5	467,976	37.7	275,125	39.4	208,185

[1] 9-year average, 1924–32.
[2] Includes all potatoes for harvest before Sept. 1 in 10 States.
[3] Percent of previous year's crop.
[4] Data based on corn for grain.

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Early Potatoes.—The reported condition of early potatoes in 10 southern States is below average for April 1, North Carolina and Louisiana being the only two exceptions. Conditions in several of the States are equal to, or better than, the April 1 conditions of the last two seasons, but Texas reports poorer conditions and Florida is unusually low. For the 10 States, the April 1 conditions average 76.2 percent of normal compared with 75 a year ago and 77.5, the April 1 average for the 1924–32 period. In the eastern part of this group of States, and in Louisiana, the commercial early crop is in better condition than the farm crop.

Citrus.—There was little change in production prospects for the 1934–35 citrus production during the last month. An orange crop of 58,351,000 boxes is forecast as of April 1. This is about 23 percent above the 1933–34 production of 47,289,000 boxes. The grapefruit crop forecast is 18,248,000 boxes or about 28 percent above the 1933–34 production of 14,243,000 boxes. The combined forecast of orange and grapefruit production for the season is 76,599,000 boxes, or nearly 1 percent greater than the March 1 forecast of 76,039,000 boxes. It exceeds any previous production estimates recorded, including the 74,204,000 boxes produced in the 1930–31 season.

Car-lot shipments of oranges through March 30 amounted to 15,277 cars (including some incomplete reports of Texas truck movements equivalent to 1,080 cars) compared with 39,898 cars moved before April 1 last year. The car-lot movement of grapefruit through March 30 (including some incomplete reports on Texas truck movements equivalent to 1,591 cars) was 18,147 compared with 14,761 cars moved before April 1 last season.

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Stocks of Corn, Wheat, and Oats on Farms Apr. 1, 1933, 1934, and 1935

State	Corn [1]						Wheat						Oats					
	Percent of previous year's crop			Quantity			Percent of previous year's crop			Quantity			Percent of previous year's crop			Quantity		
	1933	1934	1935	1933	1934	1935	1933	1934	1935	1933	1934	1935	1933	1934	1935	1933	1934	1935
				1,000 bu.	*1,000 bu.*	*1,000 bu.*				*1,000 bu.*	*1,000 bu.*	*1,000 bu.*				*1,000 bu.*	*1,000 bu.*	*1,000 bu.*
Maine	21	20	20	17	25	16	29	30	26	19	36	31	40	40	45	1,976	2,080	2,106
New Hampshire	24	30	37	29	36	46							34	35	45	106	80	123
Vermont	23	20	23	75	64	68							32	34	40	655	542	708
Massachusetts	30	45	45	108	162	166							25	25	14	41	38	22
Rhode Island	45	40	21	18	16	9							25	27	25	17	19	16
Connecticut	42	26	45	229	142	240							25	27	18	70	61	54
New York	32	31	37	1,187	1,192	1,442	32	33	37	1,308	1,489	1,634	39	40	41	10,434	6,724	9,597
New Jersey	44	43	36	2,347	2,068	2,028	20	15	7.5	210	158	85	36	38	37	384	451	537
Pennsylvania	34	37	41	11,624	14,133	16,408	21	22	17	2,828	3,472	2,509	36	37	43	8,666	7,700	10,713
Ohio	36	30	31	39,567	31,090	26,100	23	18	18	7,465	6,266	6,012	30	32	32	13,603	8,351	8,318
Indiana	44	32	31	71,561	37,722	27,818	18	16	16	4,230	3,665	5,144	33	34	35	19,454	9,768	6,379
Illinois	59	57	45	226,174	118,503	60,052	23	14	14	5,745	3,839	4,129	36	37	52	59,926	29,141	17,326
Michigan	37	29	33	9,988	8,222	6,881	30	28	33	5,031	3,768	3,670	39	38	41	14,058	8,946	11,774
Wisconsin	30	27	30	10,066	9,010	6,732	37	34	43	780	549	708	35	34	39	31,029	21,720	25,487
Minnesota	38	34	30	46,229	32,698	13,985	36	32	41	7,502	5,333	5,139	41	43	44	67,527	41,455	31,989
Iowa	55	50	46	243,217	205,220	73,402	30	25	32	1,305	1,076	969	43	44	57	94,353	63,179	34,912
Missouri	44	37	70	78,869	48,103	8,086	21	13	12	3,304	2,209	2,554	33	26	33	12,158	8,485	4,483
North Dakota	18	13	35	438	277	74	34	37	46	37,535	26,683	9,750	45	45	56	18,938	9,963	4,976
South Dakota	33	41	55	18,409	13,097	2,741	35	80	245	18,714	4,096	1,465	44	170	95	33,190	8,874	3,215
Nebraska	50	50	200	126,563	110,992	20,028	34	33	35	9,506	9,638	5,543	42	52	67	31,160	12,154	5,741
Kansas	37	36	215	44,409	23,967	1,625	19	24	18	22,834	13,801	14,346	29	27	25	10,026	7,014	4,024
Delaware	42	35	47	1,742	1,225	2,205	12	28	9.5	109	325	146	28	20	8	29	17	11
Maryland	34	37	12	5,202	5,731	6,625	9	13	12	445	822	952	30	29	34	428	348	449
Virginia	34	36	36	8,635	12,699	12,180	13	14	14	813	1,040	1,133	22	25	25	712	840	600
West Virginia	31	32	31	3,162	4,246	3,455	22	17	22	281	316	434	30	31	32	878	707	657
North Carolina	35	40	42	11,566	17,020	19,378	14	15	22	500	557	955	17	12	17	742	406	598
South Carolina	35	40	35	6,112	8,914	7,169	6	6	8.5	46	36	65	8	7	4.5	638	505	297
Georgia	41	40	39	15,256	15,200	14,824	9	4	12	63	21	91	11	8	7	769	425	447
Florida	28	27	36	1,556	1,395	2,207							0	2	12	0	2	12
Kentucky	37	34	34	24,065	22,304	20,196	12	4	5	340	132	212	19	21	28	446	410	462
Tennessee	36	39	40	20,740	25,158	23,022	8	8	9	207	233	305	17	12	19	325	209	254
Alabama	40	40	46	14,628	14,684	21,896	6	4	4	4	1	3	10	2	6	148	22	125
Mississippi	35	36	40	11,278	12,722	15,815							11	3	5	56	10	33
Arkansas	38	35	33	12,709	9,115	4,879	7	8	7	17	17	21	16	19	10	255	313	205
Louisiana	27	22	23	4,750	3,378	3,676							15	10	9	45	26	45
Oklahoma	29	20	22	18,789	3,651	2,219	20	18	14	9,518	5,679	5,229	23	18	18	5,523	3,866	3,627
Texas	30	24	20	30,008	17,391	8,764	10	3	6	2,829	420	1,545	28	17	15	11,753	3,537	4,870
Montana	26	17	25	203	69	40	37	32	33	20,576	8,474	9,297	52	50	63	5,239	3,256	4,627
Idaho	37	33	29	455	425	209	24	20	18	6,806	3,447	3,365	50	34	35	2,738	1,545	1,571
Wyoming	24	31	24	190	335	67	35	31	42	1,086	663	437	48	58	60	1,663	1,839	1,046
Colorado	29	34	20	4,065	6,971	404	15	21	19	1,070	1,242	1,097	45	46	44	1,681	1,900	1,603
New Mexico	34	33	20	961	859	184	18	5	11	365	74	78	30	25	24	276	209	83
Arizona	18	15	35	78	78	126	5	5	2.5	40	64	25	13	12	5	47	45	14
Utah	15	14	12	32	32	10	30	31	20	1,600	1,264	629	40	27	43	734	418	358
Nevada	15	9	10	4	2	2	18	16	9	83	60	30	30	20	15	34	18	7
Washington	22	17	12	92	103	59	11	5	6	4,438	2,152	2,241	39	44	40	3,237	4,174	2,720
Oregon	20	20	15	198	238	127	17	16	12	3,410	2,817	1,553	25	35	24	1,700	3,445	1,417
California	32	48	30	512	814	495	2	3	2	223	364	168	6	9	6.5	109	188	147
United States	44.9	41.3	39.6	1,128,122	841,498	438,180	24.6	22.0	18.9	183,185	116,298	93,699	37.5	37.7	39.4	467,976	275,425	208,185

[1] Data based on corn for grain.

Stocks of Corn, Wheat, and Oats on Farms Apr. 1, 1926–35, for the United States

Year	Corn [1]		Wheat		Oats	
	Percent of previous year's crop	Quantity	Percent of previous year's crop	Quantity	Percent of previous year's crop	Quantity
		1,000 bu.		*1,000 bu.*		*1,000 bu.*
1926	40.6	980,489	11.8	79,050	36.9	519,971
1927	40.8	870,624	12.5	103,871	34.9	398,348
1928	31.8	715,281	10.1	88,057	30.5	332,957
1929	34.2	780,896	14.7	134,114	33.9	447,773
1930	35.1	750,223	15.9	130,729	33.0	368,853
1931	36.1	625,086	13.3	118,772	33.7	429,885
1932	41.0	913,666	18.2	169,990	32.5	365,794
1933	44.9	1,128,122	24.6	183,185	37.5	467,976
1934	41.3	841,498	22.0	116,298	37.7	275,425
1935	39.6	438,180	18.9	93,699	39.4	208,185

[1] Data based on corn for grain.

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Pastures.—The condition of farm pastures on April 1, as reported by crop correspondents, was slightly above the condition on April 1 last year but lower than on April 1 in any of the previous 10 years. According to these reports, pastures or pasture prospects vary from excellent in Arizona and California to exceedingly poor in nearly the whole of the Great Plains area from Montana and North Dakota to New Mexico and western Texas. Most of the States in this Great Plains area show by far the lowest condition on April 1 for 10 years or more, with old grass exceedingly short, little or no new grass, feed supplies low or nearing exhaustion, and all livestock in thin conditions. Although cattle numbers have been sharply reduced in this area, the 10 States chiefly affected still had more than a third of all the cattle in the United States on January 1. Northern portions of the area have enough surface moisture to give the grass a start as soon as the weather is warm enough, but in the central and southern portions of the area even surface moisture is lacking and dust storms continue; throughout the whole area there is a serious lack of subsoil moisture. In some sections there are also complaints that the stand of native pasture grasses has been seriously thinned by the drought or covered by drifting sand and silt. In the intermountain area west of the Continental Divide the situation is somewhat better from the standpoint of soil moisture, although there is little old feed left and new grass has been slow to start.

In the row of States stretching from Minnesota to Louisiana, which were along the eastern edge of last year's drought area, pastures are markedly better than at this time last year, but do not show full recovery. From these States eastward, April 1 pastures averaged rather better than in the last year or two, and in the South, exclusive of Texas, Oklahoma, and Florida, pastures are reported better than on April 1 in any year since 1929.

Acreage and Production Forecasts of Specified Commercial Truck Crops, 1935, with Comparisons

Snap Beans for Market

Group and State	Acreage			Yield per acre			Production		
	5-yr. average 1929–33	1934	1935	5-yr. average 1929–33	1934	Preliminary 1935	5-yr. average 1929–33	1934	Preliminary 1935
	Acres	*Acres*	*Acres*	*Bushels*	*Bushels*	*Bushels*	*1,000 bushels*	*1,000 bushels*	*1,000 bushels*
Fall [1]	11,850	22,600	17,000	87	102	69	[2] 1,088	[2] 2,299	1,173
Early (1):									
Florida (winter)	14,060	21,600	26,000	98	120	84	1,381	2,520	2,184
Early (2):						*Indicated*			*Forecast*
California	3,770	3,800	4,150	119	115	107	442	437	444
Florida (spring)	14,620	21,300	25,000	87	80	70	[2] 1,260	1,704	1,750
Texas	8,350	4,500	4,000	76	55	65	[2] 616	248	260
Group total	26,740	29,600	33,150	88	81	74	[2] 2,318	2,389	2,454
Total 3 groups	52,650	73,200	76,150	91	98	76	4,787	7,208	5,811
Total all States	112,700	117,100	----------	90	92	----------	10,144	[2] 13,186	----------

Beets for Market

Early	5,290	7,200	6,000	163	130	100	845	936	600
Second early:									
Louisiana	1,800	1,650	1,350	106	187	150	187	309	202
Mississippi	300	120	280	114	110	115	34	13	32
South Carolina	100	100	80	279	200	300	29	20	24
Group total	2,200	1,870	1,710	115	183	151	250	342	258
Total 2 groups	7,490	9,070	7,710	146	141	111	1,095	1,278	858
Total all States	10,110	12,220	----------	178	184	----------	1,796	2,254	----------

Cabbage for Market and for Kraut

	920	1,000	1,100	*Tons* 6.9	*Tons* 7.6	*Tons* 7.7	*Tons* 6,300	*Tons* 7,600	*Tons* 10,800
Fall [1]									
Early	36,440	58,550	25,650	5.4	5.6	4.4	[2] 198,900	[2] 326,000	112,700
Florida	5,680	10,700	5,600	6.3	6.0	5.0	[2] 35,600	[2] 64,200	28,000
Other	30,760	47,850	20,050	5.3	5.5	4.2	[2] 163,300	[2] 261,800	84,700
Second early:									
Alabama	1,720	3,000	1,600	5.7	6.8	5.6	9,600	[2] 20,400	9,000
Georgia	580	800	550	5.6	4.0	5.0	3,000	3,200	2,800
Mississippi	3,190	5,800	5,200	4.6	5.6	5.0	14,700	[2] 32,500	26,000
North Carolina	800	1,300	1,200	4.9	4.0	4.5	3,900	[3] 5,200	5,400
South Carolina	2,640	1,200	3,000	9.5	4.5	7.5	[2] 25,100	5,400	22,500
Virginia	4,570	3,300	3,150	4.6	4.7	4.0	[2] 21,400	[2] 15,600	12,600
Eastern Shore	1,570	1,500	1,350	5.4	5.0	4.3	[2] 8,700	[2] 7,500	5,800
Norfolk	3,000	1,800	1,800	4.2	4.5	3.8	[2] 12,700	[2] 8,100	6,800
Group total	13,500	15,400	14,700	5.7	5.3	5.3	[2] 77,700	[2] 82,300	78,300
Total 3 groups	50,860	74,950	41,750	5.6	5.5	4.8	[2] 282,900	415,900	201,800
Total all States [4]	143,020	175,130	140,820	6.71	6.93	----------	[2] 963,800	[4]1,213,300	----------

Carrots for Market

	3,920	5,800	6,150	*Bushels* 553	*Bushels* 490	*Bushels* 464	*1,000 bushels* 2,155	*1,000 bushels* 2,842	*1,000 bushels* 2,854
Fall [1]									
Early	9,370	10,770	8,900	202	127	147	[2] 1,862	1,363	1,310
Second early:									
California	7,270	10,050	10,900	478	508	412	[2] 3,470	5,105	4,818
Louisiana	1,320	880	790	143	120	160	195	106	126
Mississippi	460	100	350	128	120	120	64	12	42
Group total	9,050	11,030	12,040	412	474	414	[2] 3,729	5,223	4,986
Total 3 groups	22,340	27,600	27,090	347	342	338	7,746	9,428	9,150
Total all States	30,010	35,880	----------	368	362	----------	[2] 11,012	13,005	----------

Green Peas for Market

Early	7,270	11,100	6,650	65	75	51	453	835	336
Second early:									
Alabama	[2] 280	150	160	[2] 51	70	75	[2] 13	10	12
California	28,810	39,400	49,700	82	57	71	2,235	2,246	3,529
Louisiana	1,270	1,100	1,040	51	58	56	69	64	58
Mississippi	2,190	1,720	1,850	65	80	75	147	138	139
South Carolina	3,060	4,000	3,200	47	30	60	145	120	192
Group total	35,590	46,470	55,950	76	56	70	2,603	2,578	3,930
Total 2 groups	42,770	57,470	62,600	71	59	68	3,056	3,413	4,266
Total all States	90,310	100,120	----------	76	74	----------	6,804	7,442	----------

See footnotes at end of table

Acreage and Production Forecasts of Specified Commercial Truck Crops, 1935, with Comparisons—Contd.

Onions for Market

Group and State	Acreage			Yield per acre			Production		
	5-yr. average 1929–33	1934	1935	5-yr. average 1929–33	1934	Indicated 1935	5-yr. average 1929–33	1934	Forecast 1935
	Acres	*Acres*	*Acres*	*Sacks*	*Sacks*	*Sacks*	*1,000 sacks*	*1,000 sacks*	*1,000 sacks*
Early (Bermuda):									
Louisiana [5]	[6] 1,230	[6] 1,600	1,650	43	[6] 42	43	[6] 58	[6] 67	71
Texas	18,480	21,700	23,300	93	72	80	1,726	1,562	1,864
California	2,070	1,850	1,900	134	110	112	272	204	213
Group total	[6] 21,780	[6] 25,150	26,850	94	[6] 73	80	[6] 2,056	[6] 1,833	2,148
Total all States	[6] 83,840	[6] 83,740	93,480	159	[6] 157	----------	[6] 13,350	[6] 13,140	----------

Early Irish Potatoes for Market

				Bushels	*Bushels*	*Bushels*	*1,000 bushels*	*1,000 bushels*	*1,000 bushels*
Fall: [1]									
Texas	2,600	2,600	3,800	57	47	35	139	122	133
Early:									
Florida	23,700	23,500	24,800	105	133	92	2,449	3,128	2,290
South	4,000	6,000	6,800	88	140	124	341	840	843
North	19,700	17,500	18,000	109	131	80	2,108	2,288	1,447
Hastings	16,900	14,500	15,600	108	135	77	1,788	1,958	1,201
La Crosse	2,200	2,200	1,800	112	110	100	251	242	180
West	600	800	600	106	110	110	69	88	66
Texas, L V	11,800	6,600	5,500	86	117	50	1,019	772	275
Group total	35,500	30,100	30,300	98	130	85	3,468	3,900	2,565
Total 2 groups	38,100	32,700	34,100	95	123	79	3,607	4,022	2,658
Total all States	294,200	307,800	282,300	128	139	----------	37,893	42,799	----------

Spinach for Market and for Manufacture

Fall: [1]									
Arkansas	----------	----------	400	----------	----------	220	----------	----------	88
Oklahoma	----------	----------	800	----------	----------	250	----------	----------	200
Virginia	2,610	1,850	2,000	247	175	190	708	324	380
Group total	2,610	1,850	3,200	247	175	209	708	324	668
Early (2)	42,700	51,920	55,160	286	216	207	12,195	11,191	11,420
For market	34,250	38,500	42,300	232	182	135	7,677	7,017	5,710
For manufacture	8,450	13,420	12,860	511	311	444	4,518	4,174	5,710
Second early:									
Arkansas	760	800	1,000	138	120	230	98	96	230
Illinois	120	120	120	188	250	200	23	30	24
Maryland	1,750	1,570	1,630	277	220	333	491	345	543
For market	780	400	----------	----------	----------	----------	221	88	----------
For manufacture	970	1,170	----------	----------	----------	----------	270	257	----------
Missouri	1,030	1,000	1,100	262	200	270	269	200	297
New Jersey	1,180	1,000	1,000	354	450	400	413	450	400
Oklahoma	----------	----------	1,200	----------	----------	250	----------	----------	300
Pennsylvania	910	1,050	1,450	345	325	350	313	341	508
Virginia	3,820	2,300	2,530	319	250	300	1,237	575	759
Washington	220	190	150	346	300	300	79	57	45
Group total	9,790	8,030	10,180	299	261	305	2,923	2,094	3,106
For market	8,820	6,860	----------	299	268	----------	2,653	1,837	----------
For manufacture	970	1,170	----------	277	220	----------	270	257	----------
Total 3 groups	55,100	61,800	68,540	287	220	222	15,826	13,609	15,194
For market	45,680	47,210	----------	242	194	----------	11,038	9,178	----------
For manufacture	9,420	14,590	----------	508	304	----------	4,788	4,431	----------
Total all States	61,860	69,880	----------	285	221	----------	17,627	15,471	----------
For market	51,660	54,590	----------	248	200	----------	12,639	10,928	----------
For manufacture	10,200	15,290	----------	489	297	----------	4,988	4,543	----------

Strawberries for Market, Cold Pack, Canning, Etc.

				Crate	*Crate*	*Crate*	*1,000 crates*	*1,000 crates*	*1,000 crates*
Early	43,690	42,710	40,540	60.3	56.1	55.4	[2] 2,616	[2] 2,398	2,244
Second early:									
Arkansas	16,460	22,000	8,800	50	69	40	[2] 813	[2] 1,518	352
California (Southern district)	1,580	1,150	1,220	214	178	206	339	205	251
Georgia	340	450	450	56	60	70	19	27	32
North Carolina	6,060	6,800	7,000	98	70	120	592	476	840
South Carolina	440	650	500	74	60	100	32	39	50
Tennessee	14,880	19,400	17,000	56	54	56	[2] 845	[2] 1,048	952
Virginia	7,310	7,700	6,780	70	95	85	[2] 514	[2] 732	576
Group total	47,090	58,150	41,750	67.5	69.6	73.1	[2] 3,154	[2] 4,045	3,053
Total all States	180,360	197,660	168,430	66.8	67.1	----------	[2] 12,013	[2] 13,264	----------

[1] Fall crop States supply earliest new crop movement, starting in fall preceding year shown.
[2] Includes some quantities not harvested on account of market conditions.
[3] Includes 1,009 tons taken by kraut factories.
[4] Includes cabbage for kraut.
[5] Includes a small acreage of Creole onions.
[6] Revised.
[7] Short-time average.

Acreage Intended to be Planted to Specified Truck Crops for Manufacture, 1935, with Comparisons

Snap Beans

State	Planted acreage				Intended in 1935	
	1931	1932	1933	1934	As percent of 1934	Acres indicated
	Acres	*Acres*	*Acres*	*Acres*	*Percent*	*Acres*
Maine	1,000	530	590	890	103.2	10,000
New York	7,400	4,900	6,400	7,100		
Pennsylvania	3,200	1,900	1,800	1,700		
Indiana	2,400	1,000	3,800	3,800	102.2	13,800
Michigan	6,300	3,000	3,900	4,000		
Wisconsin	7,600	3,400	3,800	5,700		
Delaware	2,550	700	900	1,220	110.0	12,450
Maryland	8,400	6,000	8,300	9,800		
South Carolina	1,000	600	300	300		
Tennessee	1,800	900	1,550	1,210	114.2	5,400
Mississippi	2,000	1,700	1,600	1,600		
Arkansas	3,400	1,300	2,700	1,350		
Louisiana	1,600	850	460	540		
Colorado	1,200	900	890	1,030	120.6	3,930
Utah	200	250	400	500		
Washington	550	170	200	400		
Oregon	400	200	400	900		
California	650	240	330	430		
Other States [1]	7,070	2,940	4,570	4,740	103.4	4,900
Total, all States	58,720	31,480	42,890	47,240	106.9	50,480

Sweet Corn

Maine	10,690	8,820	9,100	11,200	131.9	44,550
New Hampshire	950	640	700	730		
Vermont	1,340	880	870	1,250		
New York	17,900	11,200	13,600	15,200		
Pennsylvania	5,600	2,000	3,200	5,400		
Ohio	30,600	8,800	10,600	22,600	110.9	275,500
Indiana	42,000	22,000	28,700	40,600		
Illinois	71,000	35,000	50,000	70,000		
Michigan	8,430	4,000	3,500	5,500		
Wisconsin	13,900	2,400	4,500	12,600		
Minnesota	48,700	33,500	34,000	55,000		
Iowa	54,900	6,800	19,000	36,700		
Nebraska	7,720	3,400	4,630	5,420		
Delaware	3,400	2,000	2,060	2,400	106.6	36,800
Maryland	40,200	21,000	20,000	30,000		
Tennessee	3,600	1,100	730	2,130		
Other States [1]	4,160	2,910	3,310	6,240	137.5	8,580
Total, all States	365,090	166,750	208,440	322,970	113.1	365,430

Green Peas

Maine	1,520	1,340	1,530	1,850	96.9	37,350
New York	33,000	26,000	28,700	33,700		
Pennsylvania	1,950	1,800	2,000	3,000		
Ohio	6,000	3,800	4,200	4,800	107.2	195,200
Indiana	6,000	5,400	5,200	6,500		
Illinois	16,000	15,700	17,500	19,000		
Michigan	13,800	12,600	12,000	12,800		
Wisconsin	124,000	88,000	98,000	118,000		
Minnesota	17,200	15,090	17,960	21,000		
Delaware	2,620	1,800	2,250	2,800	120.2	19,600
Maryland	14,300	11,550	11,300	13,500		
Montana	2,700	2,930	2,750	2,130	153.1	37,600
Colorado	3,830	3,220	2,400	3,550		
Utah	7,100	6,600	9,300	11,000		
Washington	2,300	2,600	3,200	14,400		
Other States [1]	6,210	9,110	10,010	13,100	139.7	19,610
Total all States	258,930	207,750	228,300	281,130	113.6	319,360

[1] "Other States" include: Snap beans—Alabama, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Jersey, Ohio, Oklahoma, Texas, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, and Wyoming; Sweet Corn—Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Missouri, Montana, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Virginia, Washington, and Wyoming; Green Peas—California, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, New Jersey, Oklahoma, Oregon, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and Wyoming.

Local market prices of potatoes declined from February 15 to March 15 as old crop supplies remained at high levels and shipments of new potatoes from southern States increased seasonably at a rapid rate. For the United States as a whole, the decline averaged 1.6 cents per bushel, potato prices dropping in every section of the country except the far western and West South Central States. Farmers received an average of only 43.6 cents per bushel for potatoes on March 15 as compared with 92 cents a year earlier.

Preliminary Estimates of Acreage Planted to Specified Truck Crops, 1935, With Comparisons

Lima Beans for Market

Group and State	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	5-year average 1929–33	1934	Preliminary 1935
	Acres	*Acres*	*Acres*	*Acres*	*Acres*	*Acres*	*Acres*	*Acres*
Fall [1]	300	60	40			[2] 133		
Early:								
Georgia	300	3,250	1,680	2,100	1,500	1,770	2,500	2,500
South Carolina	500	1,350	1,400	1,600	1,800	1,330	2,000	1,800
Group total	800	4,600	3,080	3,700	3,300	3,100	4,500	4,300
Total all States	5,050	10,960	11,870	13,120	11,850	10,570	12,350	

Snap Beans for Market

Fall [1]	5,340	9,300	16,130	15,800	12,700	11,850	22,600	17,000
Early (1)	10,500	11,000	8,000	14,000	26,800	14,060	21,000	26,000
Early (2)	20,270	27,690	31,040	29,200	25,500	26,740	29,600	33,150
Second early:								
Alabama	900	950	900	1,800	700	1,050	700	800
Georgia	1,350	2,880	2,500	3,300	2,000	2,410	5,000	3,000
Louisiana	6,900	8,150	7,650	6,200	4,800	6,740	6,000	6,600
Mississippi	5,000	4,200	3,200	4,200	2,400	3,800	2,800	3,000
South Carolina	4,500	4,900	4,400	4,850	4,000	4,530	6,000	5,800
Group total	18,650	21,080	18,650	20,350	13,900	18,530	20,500	19,200
Total 3 groups	54,760	69,070	73,820	79,350	78,900	71,180	93,700	95,350
Total all States	94,380	109,440	114,430	122,250	123,000	112,700	147,100	

Cantaloups (Including Honeyball, Honeydew, Casaba, and Persian Melons)

Early:								
California Imperial	38,360	50,900	51,640	45,750	35,540	44,440	27,900	28,650
Florida	600	600	250	200	400	410	300	200
Texas	740	1,260	540	150		[2] 670		
Group total	39,700	52,760	52,430	46,100	35,940	45,390	28,200	28,850
Total all States	108,670	129,010	138,310	135,780	109,050	124,160	96,160	

Cucumbers for Market

Fall [1]	980	1,100	2,680	1,350	1,600	1,540	1,750	2,000
Early (1):								
Florida	10,360	11,000	8,000	6,000	4,000	7,870	3,400	3,100
Texas	2,450	7,100	7,500	6,950	6,400	6,080	5,900	7,100
Group total	12,810	18,100	15,500	12,950	10,400	13,950	9,300	10,200
Total 2 groups	13,790	19,200	18,180	14,300	12,000	15,490	11,050	12,200
Total all States	41,300	56,020	50,880	44,700	40,710	46,720	41,990	

Watermelons for Market

Early:								
California Imperial	8,000	8,500	9,300	9,500	7,500	8,560	7,000	6,500
Florida	30,060	34,700	31,000	28,500	22,500	31,340	24,500	20,000
Group total	38,000	43,200	40,300	38,000	30,000	39,900	31,500	26,500
Total all States	216,490	235,390	238,820	233,230	186,350	222,060	196,640	

[1] Fall crop States supply earliest new crop movement, starting in fall preceding year shown.
[2] Short-time average.

Condition of Commercial Truck Crops for Shipment, Apr. 1, 1935, with Comparisons

Crop	10-year average, Apr. 1, 1924–33	Apr. 1, 1934	Mar. 1, 1935	Apr. 1, 1935
	Percent	*Percent*	*Percent*	*Percent*
Artichokes (California)	[1] 81.0	87.0	80.0	85.0
Asparagus	84.1	91.7	88.5	87.6
Lima beans (Florida)		70.0	65.0	63.0
Snap beans	71.4	67.5	70.8	72.8
Beets	[1] 73.7	72.6	46.3	66.9
Cabbage	77.0	66.3	76.0	72.9
Cantaloups	87.6	99.7	94.8	83.6
Carrots	82.9	82.8	74.0	77.2
Cauliflower (California)	85.0	70.0	100.0	90.0
Celery	85.6	84.8	82.8	83.3
Cucumbers	71.7	49.7	71.0	77.6
Eggplant (Florida)	68.0	67.0	64.0	65.0
Lettuce	81.2	86.1	85.8	77.4
Onions		66.0		73.6
Early (Bermuda)	76.1	66.0	62.9	70.8
Intermediate		66.0		81.6
Green peas	78.7	72.4	83.1	76.8
Green peppers (Florida)	69.8	70.0	64.0	65.0
Potatoes (Early Irish)	82.6	82.2	57.7	83.0
Spinach	72.3	62.3	43.2	60.4
Strawberries	77.5	77.2	77.7	72.3
Tomatoes	71.6	67.6	61.2	73.2
Watermelons	69.8	74.5	75.7	71.4

[1] Short-time average.

Citrus Fruits

Crop and State	Production [1]				
	Average, 1928-32	1931	1932	1933	Indicated, 1934
	1,000 boxes	*1,000 boxes*	*1,000 boxes*	*1,000 boxes*	*1,000 boxes*
Oranges:					
California, all	33,022	34,900	34,265	[2] 28,439	41,565
Valencias			19,324	16,465	22,000
Navels and miscellaneous			14,941	11,974	[3] 19,565
Florida, all	15,010	14,220	16,200	18,100	15,500
Early and midseason				9,600	8,800
Valencias				6,500	4,900
Tangerines				2,000	1,800
Commercial [4]	13,480	12,500	15,000	16,500	14,000
Early and midseason				8,700	8,000
Valencias				6,000	4,400
Tangerines				1,800	1,600
Texas	292	520	315	390	595
Arizona	133	145	147	143	170
Alabama	100	80	120	3	[5] 140
Mississippi	41	54	80	2	88
Louisiana	218	245	241	212	293
7 States [6]	48,816	50,164	51,368	[2] 47,289	58,351
Grapefruit:					
Florida, all	11,657	10,786	11,800	10,700	12,500
Seedless				2,800	2,500
Other				7,900	10,000
Commercial [4]	8,960	8,600	8,400	7,500	7,500
Seedless				2,300	2,000
Other				5,200	5,500
California	1,209	1,431	1,350	1,713	1,788
Texas	1,457	2,480	1,385	1,130	2,720
Arizona	408	450	614	700	1,240
4 States [6]	14,730	15,147	15,149	14,243	18,248
Lemons:					
California [6]	7,251	7,800	6,704	7,295	[5] 7,500
Limes:					
Florida	8	9	10	8	[5] 8

[1] Relates to bloom of year shown, picking beginning Nov. 1 in California and Sept. 1 in other States.
[2] Includes 572,000 boxes of valencias and 405,000 boxes of navels and miscellaneous oranges for charity.
[3] Mar. 1 forecast.
[4] Included in total production. Commercial estimate represents out-of-State shipment, whether by rail, boat, or auto truck.
[5] Dec. 1 forecast.
[6] Net content of boxes varies. In California and Arizona the approximate average for oranges is 70 pounds net and grapefruit 60 pounds; in Florida and other States oranges 90 pounds and grapefruit 80 pounds; California lemons, about 76 pounds net.

Condition Apr. 1 of Peaches and Early Potatoes in the Southern States

State	Peaches			Early potatoes [1]		
	Average, 1924-32	1934	1935	Average, 1924-32	1934	1935
	Percent	*Percent*	*Percent*	*Percent*	*Percent*	*Percent*
North Carolina	77	79	82	83	75	86
South Carolina	70	74	82	75	74	73
Georgia	71	74	80	74	69	78
Florida	76	76	66	79	81	68
Alabama	70	77	80	75	72	73
Mississippi	71	73	76	76	73	75
Arkansas	63	77	45	80	81	74
Louisiana	70	82	69	76	73	80
Oklahoma	40	66	60	80	78	78
Texas	62	66	72	74	74	69
10 States	66.6	73.7	73.2	77.5	75.0	76.2

[1] Includes all potatoes for harvest before Sept. 1 in States mentioned.

Milk Production

Milk production per cow set new low records for April in the drought States but is beginning to pick up elsewhere as a result of greatly improved pastures in the South, an increase in the proportion of the cows freshening in the spring, relatively higher prices for dairy products, and relatively unfavorable prices for veal calves.

Taking the country as a whole, crop correspondents reported an average of 12.51 pounds of milk per cow on hand compared with 12.44 on that date last year and an average of 13.83 pounds on April 1 during the previous 9 years. As the number of milk cows on hand is 4 to 5 percent less than the number a year ago, total milk products on April 1 appear to have been about 4 percent less than on that date last year. On March 1 corresponding calculations indicated a decrease of about 6 percent from production last year.

From Missouri, Kentucky, and Maryland, southward (except Florida) and in the far Southwest, good pasturage partially offsets the shortage and high price of grain. In these States, farmers are also milking a larger proportion of the milk cows and production per cow is quite generally higher than it was last year and about up to the level of 2 years ago. Farther north, pastures were not furnishing much feed but a large proportion of the cows are being milked and the level of prices being received for dairy products is stimulating production as compared with the low level of production reported a year ago. In the East North Central group, production per cow was still reported as lower than in any of the 9 seasons previous to last year but in the North Atlantic group of States production appears to have been higher than on any April 1 since 1931.

Ordinarily under the stimulus of higher prices and increased spring freshening the reduction in the number of milk cows would be offset by increased milk production per cow. This spring both hay and grain supplies are short over a wide area and until new crops can be harvested, production will be very largely dependent on the pasturage available. However, only about one-sixth of the milk cows are in the area where the drought has not yet been broken.

Pounds of Milk Produced per Milk Cow in Herds Kept by Crop Correspondents, on Apr. 1, 1933–35, and 8-Year Average, Apr. 1, 1925–32

[State averages calculated by dividing the reported total daily milk production of about 20,000 herds on the 1st of each April by the number of milk cows in these herds. To reduce to quarts divide by 2.15]

State	8-year average 1925–32	1933	1934	1935
Maine	13.8	12.6	12.9	11.6
New Hampshire	15.7	15.5	13.3	15.2
Vermont	15.3	14.5	13.9	14.6
Massachusetts	18.1	17.2	17.0	17.9
Rhode Island	17.9	17.5	16.1	18.4
Connecticut	17.4	16.6	17.0	17.4
New York	17.5	16.0	16.3	17.1
New Jersey	18.6	18.8	19.3	18.2
Pennsylvania	17.4	16.3	15.8	16.7
North Atlantic	17.15	16.01	15.85	16.64
Ohio	15.4	14.6	13.7	14.7
Indiana	14.2	13.2	12.1	12.7
Illinois	14.7	14.7	13.5	13.7
Michigan	17.6	17.3	15.9	16.5
Wisconsin	17.7	16.5	16.2	15.7
East North Central	16.33	15.54	14.64	14.80
Minnesota	17.5	17.6	16.3	14.6
Iowa	13.8	14.5	13.6	13.9
Missouri	9.3	9.0	8.3	9.3
North Dakota	12.7	11.8	10.1	10.3
South Dakota	12.3	13.1	9.6	8.4
Nebraska	13.6	14.6	13.4	11.5
Kansas	14.3	14.4	14.0	13.3
West North Central	13.72	13.77	12.60	11.99
Delaware	13.8	14.4	12.4	13.2
Maryland	14.5	12.8	12.2	12.8
Virginia	10.5	8.8	8.5	9.3
West Virginia	10.0	9.1	8.1	9.2
North Carolina	11.0	9.4	8.9	9.1
South Carolina	10.1	10.0	8.6	8.9
Georgia	8.8	8.1	7.2	7.6
Florida	6.8	6.7	6.4	6.3
South Atlantic	10.57	9.36	8.74	9.37
Kentucky	11.0	9.3	8.4	9.5
Tennessee	9.5	8.4	7.7	7.7
Alabama	7.6	6.9	6.3	7.3
Mississippi	7.5	6.6	5.5	6.8
Arkansas	8.6	6.9	6.3	7.4
Louisiana	7.0	6.3	4.6	5.4
Oklahoma	11.3	10.2	9.1	9.8
Texas	9.6	8.3	8.8	9.2
South Central	9.38	8.23	7.87	8.36
Montana	12.0	12.5	11.4	10.1
Idaho	16.0	16.3	15.9	14.9
Wyoming	11.3	10.1	10.8	10.0
Colorado	13.5	12.7	12.3	11.1
New Mexico	9.6	9.0	8.9	8.7
Arizona	16.9	19.5	16.3	19.8
Utah	15.3	15.1	15.3	14.3
Nevada	13.6	13.2	15.3	14.2
Washington	16.9	15.0	16.8	17.1
Oregon	16.3	13.6	15.4	15.2
California	19.1	19.8	19.8	20.8
Western	14.98	14.42	14.44	14.13
United States	13.92	13.16	12.44	12.51

Hens and Pullets per Farm Flock [1]

[First day of each month]

Area and year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
NORTH ATLANTIC STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	95.0	93.7	90.9	88.4	84.5	81.2	76.7	74.9	72.2	77.1	85.6	90.2
1932	95.3	90.9	89.9	88.3	85.2	81.9	77.9	75.2	74.2	80.2	86.9	93.5
1933	96.9	95.6	94.0	89.9	86.2	85.2	78.4	74.1	71.8	79.5	88.8	95.4
1934	98.0	95.2	94.5	90.3	86.2	83.4	78.5	73.1	74.1	80.0	85.4	92.1
1935	97.6	93.6	92.7	88.4								
NORTH CENTRAL STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	119.2	119.0	116.1	114.0	108.2	101.7	95.5	90.0	87.8	93.0	101.3	111.0
1932	116.0	115.2	110.3	106.7	102.3	95.8	89.2	83.9	83.1	89.3	96.1	108.4
1933	117.7	117.5	111.7	111.6	105.4	99.2	90.3	84.7	83.5	88.3	97.5	110.0
1934	117.8	117.2	114.6	111.2	104.5	96.5	88.9	82.5	79.2	84.4	92.5	102.2
1935	105.4	105.8	103.0	99.7								
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	63.1	62.5	60.5	58.1	54.5	52.7	51.0	49.9	50.5	53.6	56.2	59.5
1932	58.1	57.7	56.9	53.4	50.1	47.2	47.8	45.9	46.6	50.7	51.4	55.9
1933	69.3	59.4	56.8	55.6	51.8	49.1	47.0	45.2	45.2	48.6	51.3	55.2
1934	57.4	55.4	53.9	51.4	49.7	47.0	45.4	44.5	44.1	47.9	50.3	52.6
1935	55.3	54.6	53.8	51.7								
SOUTH CENTRAL STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	72.6	72.7	69.4	65.8	60.1	57.2	55.0	54.4	55.7	60.9	63.4	67.4
1932	65.3	65.4	63.4	58.1	54.9	51.6	50.5	49.9	50.0	55.1	58.7	62.6
1933	68.4	68.0	64.6	62.6	56.8	54.0	49.9	49.8	50.9	55.1	57.8	59.2
1934	64.2	62.5	60.2	57.9	54.2	50.1	48.3	45.8	46.3	49.3	52.1	56.2
1935	58.6	57.5	56.1	53.3								
WESTERN STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	75.9	74.6	73.2	71.2	68.4	65.0	62.2	61.4	60.8	63.2	67.8	72.4
1932	75.6	75.0	73.2	71.3	69.9	65.6	62.3	60.8	61.9	63.8	68.6	71.2
1933	73.6	73.1	71.3	68.9	67.6	65.3	60.3	59.0	58.7	61.4	67.6	73.1
1934	73.3	73.2	71.7	69.4	66.6	63.3	60.2	60.1	59.3	59.8	64.2	68.1
1935	69.9	68.4	67.3	65.6								
UNITED STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	89.9	89.5	86.7	84.1	79.0	75.0	71.3	68.7	68.0	72.8	78.0	84.0
1932	85.0	84.3	81.6	77.6	74.2	69.8	66.6	63.9	63.8	69.0	73.5	80.6
1933	87.0	86.6	82.6	81.3	76.1	72.1	66.6	63.7	63.6	68.0	73.8	80.2
1934	85.2	83.8	81.8	78.9	74.5	69.4	65.3	61.6	60.6	61.5	69.4	75.4
1935	78.9	77.6	75.9	73.0								

[1] As reported in the returns of flocks by about 22,000 crop correspondents, excluding flocks numbering 400 or more hens and pullets of laying age on Jan. 1.

Estimated Farm Prices of Eggs, Chickens, and Feed for Poultry

[Based upon prices reported by farmers]

Price of Eggs: Cents per Dozen

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
5-year average, 1923-27	39.0	31.4	22.9	22.0	22.3	22.3	23.7	25.9	32.7	36.6	41.9	46.9
1932	17.2	12.8	10.4	10.2	10.3	10.6	12.0	14.7	17.2	22.5	26.1	28.1
1933	21.1	11.0	10.1	10.3	11.8	10.1	13.1	13.3	16.3	20.8	24.0	21.6
1934	17.6	15.8	14.4	13.5	13.3	13.2	11.1	17.2	21.9	23.7	28.6	27.0
1935	25.0	25.6	18.6									

Price of Chickens: Cents per Pound

5-year average, 1923-27	18.9	19.5	20.2	21.0	21.6	21.3	21.1	20.5	20.1	19.8	19.0	18.6
1932	13.3	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.2	11.4	11.7	11.7	11.6	10.7	10.1	9.2
1933	9.3	9.1	9.1	9.8	10.1	10.0	10.1	9.8	9.5	9.3	8.8	8.6
1934	9.4	10.2	10.7	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.7	11.1	12.7	11.8	11.7	11.7
1935	12.3	13.1	14.2									

Price of Feed for Poultry: Dollars per Hundred Pounds

5-year average, 1923-27	1.651	1.672	1.659	1.628	1.668	1.719	1.711	1.802	1.780	1.736	1.614	1.610
1932	.751	.730	.716	.713	.688	.646	.648	.642	.607	.531	.492	.473
1933	.172	.180	.508	.650	.836	.863	1.186	1.053	1.001	.880	.917	.919
1934	.937	.982	1.008	1.015	1.022	1.137	1.193	1.397	1.497	1.194	1.182	1.597
1935	1.613	1.610	1.571									

Index of Farm Prices of Eggs, Chickens, and Feed for Poultry

[1923-27 average for same month = 100]

Index Prices for Eggs

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1932	44	41	45	46	46	48	51	57	53	61	58	60
1933	55	35	44	47	53	45	55	51	50	57	53	46
1934	45	50	63	61	60	59	59	66	67	65	64	58
1935	64	82	81									

Index Prices for Chickens

1932	70	65	62	60	56	54	55	57	58	54	53	49
1933	49	48	45	47	48	47	49	48	47	47	46	46
1934	50	52	53	53	52	53	55	56	63	60	62	63
1935	65	69	70									

Index Prices of Feed for Poultry

1932	46	44	43	44	41	38	37	36	34	31	30	29
1933	29	29	31	40	50	60	67	58	56	51	55	56
1934	57	59	61	62	61	66	69	78	84	86	90	97
1935	98	96	95									

Relation of Egg Prices to Feed Prices (i. e., Egg Index÷Feed Index)

1932	96	93	105	105	112	126	138	158	155	197	193	207
1933	190	121	142	118	105	90	82	88	89	112	95	82
1934	79	85	103	98	98	89	86	85	80	76	71	80
1935	65	85	85									

Relation of Chicken Prices to Feed Prices (i. e., Chicken Index÷Feed Index)

1932	152	148	144	136	137	142	119	158	171	174	177	160
1933	169	166	145	118	96	94	73	83	84	92	82	82
1934	88	88	87	85	85	80	80	72	75	70	69	65
1935	66	72	74									

Eggs Laid Daily per Farm Flock [1]

Area and year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
NORTH ATLANTIC STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	19.8	25.4	35.3	19.3	49.5	44.3	36.4	32.5	27.6	20.8	14.1	15.9
1932	21.6	31.8	38.5	16.7	49.9	45.1	37.2	32.7	28.6	21.4	16.0	17.0
1933	23.1	34.3	38.8	17.4	51.0	44.9	35.9	32.1	27.5	21.0	16.0	17.5
1934	21.9	30.8	34.1	18.3	50.8	45.4	37.9	32.7	28.2	22.8	16.7	19.4
1935	21.5	27.6	37.6	50.8								
NORTH CENTRAL STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	17.0	24.0	41.8	61.2	60.8	51.8	40.9	33.3	29.2	23.0	15.9	13.5
1932	21.3	29.0	41.6	53.1	58.1	47.8	38.2	30.8	28.4	22.6	15.2	11.5
1933	16.9	31.7	37.0	57.5	59.4	51.1	35.5	30.9	26.2	20.0	13.6	12.5
1934	19.3	28.6	39.0	55.6	57.8	46.6	36.4	25.6	23.5	19.7	11.5	14.0
1935	15.0	20.6	35.0	53.1								
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	12.3	17.6	26.0	30.4	27.2	23.6	20.9	18.0	14.8	12.7	10.4	10.5
1932	13.8	19.3	26.0	26.9	25.7	21.5	18.9	15.8	13.3	11.9	10.1	8.4
1933	10.1	18.5	22.2	28.4	25.6	21.7	17.6	15.1	12.8	11.1	9.9	9.2
1934	13.0	16.1	18.6	25.1	25.3	20.8	17.8	15.8	13.7	12.5	10.4	9.4
1935	11.0	13.3	21.8	27.4								
SOUTH CENTRAL STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	12.7	17.6	29.2	35.0	30.8	25.9	21.5	18.2	15.3	14.4	12.7	10.7
1932	13.1	19.5	29.1	30.2	28.2	23.3	20.2	16.4	14.6	13.4	11.0	8.8
1933	8.8	21.9	23.9	32.8	28.3	23.4	17.3	15.3	12.1	11.7	10.6	8.7
1934	12.0	16.6	22.4	28.6	27.4	21.7	16.8	13.3	11.5	11.5	10.5	9.6
1935	10.0	12.1	22.2	28.6								
WESTERN STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	16.2	20.3	32.1	39.0	10.1	35.3	30.3	27.0	23.6	19.4	11.8	12.5
1932	15.8	21.2	31.1	38.7	10.8	35.6	30.1	27.1	25.3	19.3	13.4	12.3
1933	12.5	21.9	25.6	38.3	38.8	35.9	29.3	25.2	21.9	18.1	13.5	12.7
1934	15.9	22.5	32.9	40.9	39.2	33.6	29.0	25.3	21.5	16.3	13.1	12.6
1935	15.7	18.8	30.4	36.0								
UNITED STATES												
5-year average, 1927-31	15.0	20.8	33.9	15.3	43.3	37.0	30.3	25.5	21.8	18.1	13.7	12.3
1932	17.2	23.9	33.9	39.6	40.9	34.1	28.3	23.3	21.0	17.4	12.9	10.6
1933	13.3	26.8	29.5	42.3	41.3	35.1	26.0	22.7	19.1	15.7	12.1	11.0
1934	16.0	22.2	29.2	39.9	40.1	33.0	26.3	20.5	18.1	15.7	12.6	12.1
1935	13.4	16.9	28.4	39.3								

[1] As reported in the returns of flocks by about 22,000 crop correspondents, excluding flocks numbering 400 or more hens and pullets of laying age on Jan. 1.

Eggs: Production and Value, 1930–34

State and division	Production (millions)						Value per dozen						Total value (thousands)					
	5-year average 1926–30	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	5-year average 1926–30	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	5-year average 1926–30	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
							Cents	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*
Maine	165	175	181	185	198	191	38.8	36.6	29.4	24.6	21.9	25.8	5,328	5,338	4,434	3,792	3,614	4,107
New Hampshire	107	110	112	113	126	126	42.3	39.6	31.1	26.1	23.9	28.1	3,767	3,630	2,901	2,463	2,510	2,951
Vermont	83	85	83	82	86	83	37.0	34.6	26.8	22.4	20.7	24.6	2,554	2,448	1,851	1,533	1,484	1,702
Massachusetts	208	241	244	244	246	253	47.0	44.1	36.2	30.5	28.2	31.4	8,153	8,869	7,369	6,198	5,781	6,620
Rhode Island	30	32	33	33	36	37	45.4	42.0	32.3	27.7	25.8	29.8	1,126	1,120	888	762	774	919
Connecticut	163	175	179	192	203	210	43.2	40.4	32.3	27.0	25.8	29.0	5,882	5,898	4,815	4,320	4,364	5,075
New York	1,163	1,226	1,244	1,225	1,270	1,301	35.3	32.2	25.1	20.9	19.8	22.9	34,141	32,857	26,000	21,315	20,955	24,827
New Jersey	412	470	438	443	467	475	39.7	36.4	29.0	23.9	23.4	26.4	13,604	14,241	10,600	8,816	9,106	10,450
Pennsylvania	1,399	1,495	1,550	1,504	1,514	1,571	32.8	29.2	22.8	18.2	17.6	20.8	38,237	36,328	29,450	22,861	22,205	27,231
North Atlantic	3,730	4,009	4,064	4,021	4,146	4,247	36.2	33.2	26.2	21.6	20.6	23.8	112,790	110,729	88,308	72,060	70,793	83,882
Ohio	1,656	1,693	1,721	1,646	1,592	1,579	28.2	24.3	18.2	14.1	13.8	16.8	38,822	34,199	26,159	19,423	18,303	22,103
Indiana	1,256	1,272	1,291	1,219	1,173	1,150	25.9	22.0	16.2	12.5	12.1	15.4	27,059	23,278	17,428	12,678	11,823	14,758
Illinois	1,627	1,707	1,703	1,606	1,597	1,573	25.8	21.7	16.1	12.5	11.9	15.5	34,951	30,897	22,820	16,702	15,837	20,318
Michigan	976	963	1,012	1,057	1,036	1,016	28.5	24.8	18.3	14.6	13.4	16.9	23,203	19,934	15,382	12,895	11,569	14,309
Wisconsin	1,057	1,139	1,268	1,163	1,166	1,272	26.5	22.6	16.5	13.8	13.1	16.2	23,275	21,413	17,498	13,374	12,729	17,172
East North Central	6,572	6,774	6,995	6,691	6,564	6,590	27.0	23.0	17.0	13.4	12.9	16.2	147,291	129,721	99,287	75,072	70,271	88,663
Minnesota	1,246	1,400	1,452	1,316	1,332	1,281	24.7	21.0	14.6	11.7	11.5	14.4	25,567	24,500	17,714	12,897	12,765	15,372
Iowa	2,267	2,464	2,562	2,320	2,356	2,333	24.3	19.7	14.8	11.8	11.1	14.3	45,667	40,410	31,513	22,736	21,793	27,802
Missouri	2,271	2,260	2,286	2,076	2,024	1,814	23.5	19.8	14.2	11.0	10.3	13.6	44,520	37,290	26,975	19,099	17,373	20,559
North Dakota	336	345	330	275	284	255	22.8	18.3	12.6	10.1	9.8	12.8	6,367	5,244	3,465	2,310	2,319	2,720
South Dakota	620	702	706	556	582	467	22.8	18.2	13.0	10.7	10.0	13.0	11,745	10,670	7,625	4,948	4,850	5,059
Nebraska	986	1,147	1,181	1,027	1,051	1,002	22.2	18.2	12.8	10.3	10.0	12.8	18,185	17,434	12,637	8,832	8,758	10,688
Kansas	1,635	1,682	1,757	1,533	1,533	1,390	22.4	18.6	13.3	10.2	9.9	13.0	30,490	26,071	19,503	13,030	12,647	15,058
West North Central	9,361	10,000	10,274	9,103	9,162	8,542	23.5	19.4	13.9	11.0	10.6	13.7	182,542	161,619	119,432	83,852	80,505	97,258
Delaware	122	148	148	140	137	134	32.9	29.3	23.1	18.2	17.2	20.2	3,334	3,611	2,842	2,128	1,964	2,256
Maryland	320	333	339	356	356	356	30.7	26.8	21.4	16.4	16.3	19.6	8,173	7,426	6,034	4,877	4,836	5,815
Virginia	678	679	683	713	721	702	28.0	25.1	19.2	14.6	14.8	18.0	15,774	14,191	10,928	8,699	8,892	10,530
West Virginia	351	352	343	336	324	311	30.2	26.6	19.9	14.7	15.0	18.0	8,828	7,814	5,694	4,099	4,050	4,665
North Carolina	486	430	429	425	435	442	29.0	26.4	19.7	15.0	15.3	19.2	11,766	9,460	7,036	5,312	5,546	7,072
South Carolina	206	196	194	177	178	174	30.4	28.4	21.5	16.2	16.2	19.6	5,196	4,645	3,473	2,390	2,403	2,842
Georgia	385	384	379	378	361	344	28.9	26.0	19.4	15.4	15.3	18.9	9,266	8,333	6,140	4,838	4,603	5,418
Florida	178	172	180	179	171	158	32.8	31.0	23.8	19.0	19.0	23.0	4,844	4,438	3,564	2,828	2,707	3,028
South Atlantic	2,727	2,694	2,695	2,704	2,683	2,621	29.6	26.8	20.5	15.7	15.7	19.1	67,181	59,918	45,711	35,171	35,001	41,626
Kentucky	685	642	609	601	595	592	25.4	22.2	15.9	11.9	11.5	15.1	14,498	11,877	8,039	5,959	5,702	7,449
Tennessee	736	662	653	651	632	614	24.6	21.8	15.7	11.6	11.5	15.2	15,078	12,048	8,554	6,315	6,057	7,777
Alabama	415	412	438	425	415	408	26.4	24.0	16.7	12.9	13.0	16.8	9,117	8,240	6,088	4,590	4,496	5,712
Mississippi	379	360	353	358	328	308	25.4	23.6	16.3	12.2	12.4	15.5	8,019	7,092	4,801	3,652	3,389	3,978
Arkansas	471	470	446	483	469	429	23.9	21.3	14.4	10.9	10.6	14.0	9,369	8,366	5,352	4,395	4,143	5,005
Louisiana	258	261	260	246	243	237	27.0	25.4	17.7	13.2	13.3	16.2	5,795	5,533	3,848	2,706	2,693	3,200
Oklahoma	961	924	920	878	851	778	22.7	19.6	13.0	9.7	10.3	13.6	18,178	15,061	9,936	7,112	7,304	8,817
Texas	1,723	1,805	1,900	1,803	1,723	1,569	23.2	20.7	13.8	10.2	10.8	14.6	33,240	31,046	21,850	15,326	15,507	19,107
South Central	5,627	5,536	5,579	5,445	5,256	4,935	24.2	21.5	14.6	10.9	11.2	14.8	113,296	99,263	68,468	50,046	49,291	61,045
Montana	179	175	176	150	155	149	26.1	22.2	15.7	14.7	13.6	15.2	3,902	3,238	2,306	1,830	1,757	1,889
Idaho	187	196	225	210	193	188	25.0	21.8	14.4	12.8	14.0	15.0	3,888	3,567	2,700	2,247	2,252	2,350
Wyoming	68	73	75	68	65	62	28.0	24.8	18.4	15.7	14.9	17.0	1,595	1,511	1,148	891	807	878
Colorado	317	340	333	289	271	268	26.0	22.6	16.2	12.8	12.5	14.8	6,837	6,392	4,496	3,092	2,823	3,305
New Mexico	75	79	83	79	82	75	28.2	25.0	18.1	14.3	14.3	17.2	1,758	1,643	1,253	940	977	1,075
Arizona	61	61	64	58	58	60	35.6	32.2	25.3	20.0	19.8	23.6	1,805	1,635	1,350	969	957	1,180
Utah	198	273	319	274	253	273	25.1	22.4	16.7	14.3	14.5	16.2	4,132	5,105	4,434	3,261	3,057	3,686
Nevada	25	26	30	27	23	26	29.7	27.6	19.9	17.9	18.4	20.0	608	598	498	402	353	433
Washington	808	888	923	858	817	837	28.1	25.8	18.8	15.7	16.4	18.4	18,877	19,092	14,491	11,240	11,166	12,834
Oregon	314	315	331	334	299	314	27.3	24.2	17.2	15.0	15.5	17.6	7,171	6,363	4,733	4,175	3,862	4,605
California	1,798	2,090	2,276	1,997	1,801	1,819	29.1	26.6	19.9	17.2	17.2	19.0	43,385	46,398	37,782	28,557	25,814	28,801
Western	4,030	4,516	4,835	4,344	4,017	4,071	28.0	25.6	18.8	16.1	16.3	18.2	93,958	95,542	75,191	57,604	53,825	61,036
United States	32,048	33,529	34,442	32,308	31,828	31,006	26.9	23.5	17.3	13.9	13.6	16.8	717,058	656,792	496,397	373,805	359,686	433,510

Cattle on Feed, April 1, 1935

There was a decrease of about 36 percent in the number of cattle on feed for market in the 11 Corn Belt States on April 1 this year compared with the number on the corresponding date of 1934, according to the estimate of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. This decrease is equivalent to about half a million head. The number on feed April 1 this year is the smallest for that date in many years.

The decrease was general over the Corn Belt, with only two States—Ohio and Indiana—having an estimated number larger than a year ealier. The States east of the Mississippi River as a whole had an estimated decrease of about 6 percent, whereas the States west of that river had a decrease of about 42 percent. The largest decreases were in the States west of the Missouri River.

Shipments of stocker and feeder cattle, inspected at stockyards markets, into the Corn Belt States for the 3 months, January to March, inclusive, this year were about 15 percent larger than for the corresponding period in 1934 and the largest for the period since 1931. While the largest increases were in shipments into the eastern Corn Belt, the movement into all of the western Corn Belt States, except Kansas, was larger than last year and into some of these States was quite large relative to the feed supplies available. Apparently most of these cattle were for stocker purposes and not for immediate feeding. For the 9 months, July 1934 to March 1935, inclusive, the inspected shipments of stocker and feeder cattle into the Corn Belt were but little different than for the corresponding period a year earlier, but were smaller than in any other similar period in the 16 years for which records are available.

Reports from feeders as to the months in which their cattle on feed this year would be marketed showed the proportion they expected to market in April and May to be much smaller and the proportion to be marketed after August to be much larger than similar reports have shown in any recent year.

The estimated number on feed by States as a percentage of the number on feed April 1, 1934, are as follows:

Ohio	110	Iowa	82
Indiana	115	Missouri	60
Illinois	90	South Dakota	40
Michigan	90	Nebraska	42
Wisconsin	95	Kansas	35
Minnesota	65	Corn Belt (weighted)	64. 4

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Chickens: Number on Farms and Value, Jan. 1, 1930–35

State and division	Number (thousands)							Value per head							Total value (thousands)						
	5-year average 1926–30	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	5-year average 1926–30	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	5-year average 1926–30	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
								Ct.	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*
Maine	1,812	1,800	1,800	1,780	1,900	1,931	1,713	139	155	125	110	88	85	90	2,518	2,790	2,250	1,958	1,672	1,641	1,542
New Hampshire	1,179	1,130	1,110	1,090	1,160	1,214	1,151	152	160	130	120	95	90	102	1,794	1,808	1,443	1,308	1,102	1,093	1,174
Vermont	903	890	855	827	868	865	771	132	140	115	105	88	77	88	1,195	1,246	983	868	764	666	678
Massachusetts	2,118	2,320	2,245	2,190	2,215	2,233	1,996	162	170	140	125	105	100	105	3,436	3,944	3,143	2,738	2,326	2,233	2,096
Rhode Island	359	368	359	350	374	374	328	164	175	135	125	105	102	107	591	644	485	438	393	381	351
Connecticut	1,772	1,850	1,835	1,960	2,015	2,092	1,971	156	165	120	105	90	86	98	2,766	3,052	2,202	2,058	1,814	1,799	1,932
New York	14,227	14,620	14,200	14,340	14,765	15,252	14,367	121	126	103	97	81	74	84	17,273	18,421	14,626	13,910	11,960	11,286	12,068
New Jersey	5,044	5,680	5,080	5,525	5,840	5,755	5,283	144	148	125	112	94	91	95	7,238	8,406	6,350	6,188	5,490	5,237	5,019
Pennsylvania	18,760	19,550	19,380	18,900	19,830	19,858	19,838	119	128	98	93	68	67	78	22,266	25,024	18,992	17,577	13,484	13,305	15,474
North Atlantic	46,174	48,208	46,864	46,962	48,967	49,574	47,418	127.9	135.5	107.7	100.2	79.7	75.9	85.1	59,076	65,335	50,474	47,043	39,005	37,641	40,331
Ohio	22,126	21,950	21,795	21,375	22,895	22,665	20,910	98	101	75	67	47	45	60	21,723	22,170	16,346	14,321	10,761	10,199	12,546
Indiana	17,665	17,850	17,480	17,200	17,830	17,564	16,053	94	97	71	64	45	40	55	16,605	17,314	12,411	11,008	8,024	7,026	8,829
Illinois	27,152	27,900	26,780	26,020	26,870	26,523	24,077	97	101	73	63	45	40	54	26,342	28,179	19,549	16,393	12,092	10,609	13,002
Michigan	12,368	11,540	11,650	12,295	12,835	12,903	11,129	99	105	81	71	50	45	62	12,189	12,117	9,436	8,729	6,418	5,806	6,900
Wisconsin	14,299	14,620	15,610	14,800	14,930	15,851	15,214	92	97	72	61	47	40	57	13,131	14,181	11,239	9,028	7,017	6,340	8,672
East North Central	93,609	93,860	93,315	91,690	95,360	95,506	87,382	96.2	100.1	73.9	64.9	46.5	41.9	57.2	89,990	93,961	68,981	59,479	44,312	39,980	49,949
Minnesota	17,712	19,100	19,040	19,170	19,160	18,727	16,660	78	80	63	51	35	30	46	13,787	15,280	11,995	9,780	6,706	5,618	7,664
Iowa	32,587	35,600	35,030	34,150	33,875	35,335	31,915	88	85	66	56	43	37	49	28,522	30,260	23,120	19,124	14,566	13,074	15,638
Missouri	29,686	30,000	28,420	27,170	28,320	27,146	23,271	85	86	60	54	36	31	43	25,229	25,800	17,052	14,672	10,195	8,415	10,007
North Dakota	5,371	5,669	5,250	4,830	5,005	4,844	3,752	72	70	52	47	32	28	40	3,845	3,968	2,730	2,270	1,602	1,356	1,501
South Dakota	9,204	10,180	10,060	9,125	9,490	8,707	6,312	77	74	57	51	34	28	41	7,109	7,553	5,734	4,654	3,227	2,438	2,583
Nebraska	15,241	17,060	16,990	15,810	15,980	16,806	13,108	78	78	57	47	34	30	42	11,932	13,307	9,684	7,431	5,433	5,042	5,505
Kansas	22,133	22,770	22,410	21,590	21,785	22,102	17,706	79	80	54	46	34	29	39	17,545	18,216	12,101	9,931	7,407	6,410	6,905
West North Central	131,933	140,379	137,200	131,845	133,615	133,667	112,724	81.8	81.5	60.1	51.5	36.8	31.7	44.2	107,957	114,384	82,416	67,862	49,136	42,353	49,808
Delaware	1,800	2,020	2,000	1,970	2,029	2,188	2,118	113	115	90	82	59	58	71	2,026	2,323	1,800	1,615	1,197	1,269	1,504
Maryland	4,833	5,030	4,925	5,225	5,345	5,135	5,419	108	112	90	78	57	58	71	5,224	5,634	4,432	4,076	3,047	2,978	3,847
Virginia	9,796	9,780	9,420	9,720	10,365	9,694	9,729	93	99	72	68	45	47	58	9,148	9,682	6,782	6,610	4,664	4,556	5,643
West Virginia	4,428	4,400	4,230	3,965	4,220	4,067	3,932	93	97	71	63	47	47	54	4,126	4,268	3,003	2,198	1,983	1,911	2,123
North Carolina	9,238	8,870	8,670	8,960	9,560	9,136	8,829	82	85	70	59	39	44	56	7,554	7,540	6,069	5,286	3,728	4,020	4,944
South Carolina	4,348	4,159	4,185	4,060	4,270	4,022	4,049	75	77	71	57	45	49	55	3,244	3,202	2,971	2,314	1,922	1,971	2,227
Georgia	7,581	7,660	7,710	7,935	7,795	7,657	7,287	74	76	64	52	40	41	50	5,592	5,822	4,934	4,126	3,118	3,139	3,644
Florida	2,477	2,600	2,670	2,785	2,745	2,504	2,549	93	88	85	70	58	57	65	2,292	2,288	2,270	1,950	1,592	1,427	1,657
South Atlantic	44,501	44,519	43,810	44,620	46,329	44,403	43,912	88.1	91.6	73.6	63.8	45.9	47.9	58.3	39,206	40,759	32,261	28,475	21,251	21,271	25,589
Kentucky	11,855	11,790	10,690	10,425	11,085	10,948	10,708	80	88	60	54	35	33	46	9,504	10,375	6,414	5,630	3,880	3,613	4,926
Tennessee	12,703	12,180	11,225	10,880	11,775	11,192	11,123	76	81	57	51	33	32	46	9,620	9,865	6,398	5,549	3,886	3,581	5,117
Alabama	7,360	7,640	7,640	7,545	7,840	7,466	7,169	70	76	54	44	35	37	43	5,156	5,806	4,126	3,320	2,744	2,762	3,083
Mississippi	7,480	7,800	7,215	7,420	7,625	6,609	6,737	73	80	57	47	35	37	43	5,436	6,240	4,113	3,487	2,669	2,445	2,898
Arkansas	8,490	8,748	7,480	8,170	8,820	7,938	6,903	67	70	47	43	30	28	37	5,669	6,124	3,516	3,513	2,646	2,223	2,554
Louisiana	4,884	5,510	5,170	5,075	4,944	5,007	4,798	79	85	63	57	38	40	48	3,878	4,684	3,257	2,893	1,879	2,003	2,303
Oklahoma	14,538	14,740	13,540	13,085	14,100	12,689	10,623	76	75	54	48	30	27	39	11,052	11,055	7,312	6,281	4,230	3,426	4,143
Texas	24,720	26,900	26,320	26,830	27,680	25,958	22,508	70	73	56	47	32	33	40	17,199	19,637	14,739	12,610	8,858	8,566	9,003
South Central	92,030	95,308	89,280	89,430	93,869	87,807	80,549	73.3	77.4	55.9	48.4	32.8	32.6	42.2	67,513	73,787	49,875	43,283	30,792	28,619	34,017
Montana	2,473	2,490	2,400	2,190	2,260	2,266	1,917	80	80	60	53	42	38	44	1,969	1,992	1,440	1,161	949	861	843
Idaho	2,426	2,450	2,710	2,650	2,450	2,491	2,170	76	84	62	52	40	39	46	1,851	2,058	1,699	1,378	980	971	998
Wyoming	844	910	885	870	810	851	739	81	88	68	53	44	39	48	682	801	602	461	370	332	355
Colorado	4,268	4,370	4,410	4,110	4,000	4,098	3,663	76	79	63	52	31	34	42	3,238	3,610	2,797	2,137	1,360	1,393	1,538
New Mexico	1,104	1,220	1,135	1,145	1,240	1,179	1,015	77	77	62	59	41	36	41	835	939	701	676	508	424	416
Arizona	761	770	770	760	810	790	688	99	105	86	71	63	57	71	772	808	662	540	510	450	488
Utah	1,948	2,550	3,036	2,795	2,390	2,669	2,319	79	87	70	53	46	44	47	1,581	2,218	2,125	1,481	1,099	1,171	1,090
Nevada	277	291	344	327	253	285	257	97	110	90	62	60	59	64	270	320	310	203	152	168	164
Washington	7,248	7,760	7,915	7,620	7,645	7,613	7,080	96	99	70	65	55	49	63	6,940	7,682	5,540	4,953	4,205	3,730	4,460
Oregon	3,401	3,370	3,455	3,565	3,292	3,262	3,161	95	99	80	72	53	53	63	3,216	3,336	2,764	2,567	1,745	1,729	1,991
California	18,570	21,300	22,900	20,640	18,610	18,721	16,587	110	114	95	80	64	58	70	20,437	24,282	21,755	16,512	11,910	10,858	11,611
Western	43,359	47,681	50,020	46,672	43,790	44,225	39,596	96.3	100.8	80.8	68.7	54.3	49.9	60.5	41,794	48,046	40,398	32,069	23,788	22,090	23,954
United States	451,607	469,955	460,489	451,219	461,930	455,182	411,581	89.8	92.8	70.4	61.7	45.1	42.2	54.3	405,536	436,272	321,105	278,211	208,284	191,951	223,651

Chickens: Number Raised and Value, 1930–34

State and division	Number (thousands)						Value per head						Total value (thousands)					
	5-year average, 1926–30	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	5-year average, 1926–30	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	5-year average, 1926–30	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
							Cents	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*
Maine	3,162	3,400	3,380	3,650	3,796	3,227	104	97	89	69	59	63	3,283	3,298	3,008	2,518	2,240	2,033
New Hampshire	2,610	2,540	2,640	2,640	3,010	2,709	102	95	87	68	55	62	2,669	2,413	2,297	1,795	1,656	1,680
Vermont	1,382	1,350	1,380	1,520	1,672	1,338	104	94	81	64	57	58	1,413	1,269	1,159	973	953	776
Massachusetts	4,626	4,830	5,120	5,530	5,862	4,983	103	93	87	66	57	64	4,775	4,492	4,454	3,650	3,341	3,189
Rhode Island	598	640	640	685	712	606	117	104	95	78	66	70	701	666	608	534	470	424
Connecticut	3,321	3,615	3,795	3,795	4,175	3,519	114	104	90	74	58	64	3,784	3,760	3,416	2,808	2,422	2,271
New York	18,650	19,520	18,555	21,336	22,616	19,224	92	80	72	59	50	54	17,127	15,646	13,360	12,588	11,308	10,381
New Jersey	7,297	6,800	7,480	7,855	7,855	7,305	122	102	96	76	68	74	8,933	6,936	7,181	5,970	5,341	5,406
Pennsylvania	24,448	24,610	23,610	24,800	24,800	24,056	97	84	78	62	50	58	23,638	20,672	18,439	15,376	12,400	13,952
North Atlantic	66,063	67,305	66,630	71,811	74,498	66,997	100.5	87.8	80.9	64.4	53.9	59.9	66,353	59,122	53,922	46,212	40,131	40,162
Ohio	31,474	31,275	29,710	32,085	33,370	28,698	83	71	62	44	37	48	26,181	22,205	18,420	14,117	12,347	13,775
Indiana	28,762	29,340	27,280	29,190	29,482	25,356	80	67	60	45	36	47	23,033	19,658	16,368	13,136	10,614	11,917
Illinois	37,107	36,600	35,140	37,250	37,622	34,612	85	71	64	46	37	48	31,401	25,986	22,490	17,135	13,920	16,614
Michigan	18,291	18,501	18,510	18,880	20,579	16,257	85	72	60	45	37	46	15,605	13,327	11,106	8,496	7,641	7,478
Wisconsin	19,320	21,756	20,016	19,610	22,747	20,246	76	62	56	38	34	39	14,592	13,489	11,209	7,452	7,734	7,896
East North Central	134,954	137,481	130,656	137,015	143,800	125,169	82.2	68.9	60.9	44.0	36.3	46.1	110,846	94,665	79,593	60,336	52,229	57,680

Chickens: Number Raised and Value, 1930–34—Continued

State and division	Number (thousands)						Value per head						Total value (thousands)					
	5-year average, 1926–30	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	5-year average, 1926–30	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	5-year average, 1926–30	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
							Cents	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*
Minnesota	25,444	27,790	27,790	27,235	28,324	23,509	71	60	52	35	28	38	18,001	16,674	14,451	9,532	7,931	8,933
Iowa	45,464	47,250	45,830	44,455	50,234	44,206	80	68	62	43	34	45	36,401	32,130	28,415	19,116	17,080	19,893
Missouri	39,851	38,340	34,890	39,430	38,641	34,390	73	59	52	36	27	34	29,209	22,621	18,143	14,195	10,433	11,693
North Dakota	7,277	7,359	6,990	6,920	7,335	5,721	61	50	45	32	26	31	4,443	3,680	3,146	2,214	1,907	1,774
South Dakota	13,446	13,190	13,085	13,085	13,870	8,322	72	60	52	36	28	36	9,698	7,914	6,804	4,711	3,884	2,996
Nebraska	24,056	24,676	22,950	23,640	26,004	22,104	70	57	51	37	27	34	16,765	14,065	11,704	8,747	7,021	7,515
Kansas	32,814	33,310	31,645	33,225	35,883	29,783	66	55	48	34	24	30	21,776	18,320	15,190	11,296	8,612	8,935
West North Central	188,351	191,915	183,180	187,990	200,291	168,035	72.4	60.1	53.4	37.1	28.4	36.7	136,293	115,404	97,853	69,811	56,868	61,739
Delaware	3,153	3,280	2,950	3,245	3,570	3,213	90	77	67	49	43	53	2,840	2,526	1,976	1,591	1,535	1,703
Maryland	7,228	7,050	7,050	7,755	7,042	6,760	86	78	72	51	45	53	6,206	5,499	5,076	3,955	3,169	3,583
Virginia	16,712	16,390	16,550	19,030	16,746	17,583	66	58	56	37	35	42	10,962	9,506	9,268	7,041	5,861	7,385
West Virginia	5,475	5,390	4,905	6,130	5,333	5,440	75	64	61	40	37	45	4,130	3,450	2,992	2,452	1,973	2,448
North Carolina	15,390	13,255	13,650	15,015	14,114	13,408	59	57	47	35	32	38	9,042	7,555	6,416	5,255	4,516	5,095
South Carolina	7,920	7,075	7,360	7,730	6,725	6,927	60	60	51	37	34	39	4,778	4,245	3,754	2,860	2,286	2,702
Georgia	12,428	11,405	11,635	11,635	11,635	10,588	59	55	46	33	31	38	7,362	6,273	5,352	3,840	3,607	4,023
Florida	3,446	3,250	3,410	3,070	2,763	2,708	79	71	58	50	42	47	2,728	2,308	1,978	1,535	1,160	1,273
South Atlantic	71,753	67,095	67,510	73,610	67,928	66,627	66.9	61.6	54.5	38.8	35.5	42.3	48,046	41,362	36,812	28,529	24,107	28,212
Kentucky	17,695	15,629	14,530	16,855	16,181	16,181	63	53	49	34	28	35	11,102	8,279	7,120	5,731	4,531	5,663
Tennessee	16,902	14,664	14,224	15,930	15,133	14,679	61	52	47	33	27	34	10,336	7,625	6,685	5,257	4,086	4,991
Alabama	10,971	11,055	10,500	11,340	10,773	9,696	54	49	37	27	26	30	5,964	5,417	3,885	3,062	2,801	2,909
Mississippi	10,941	10,284	10,180	10,405	8,948	9,664	54	49	37	30	25	30	5,918	5,039	3,767	3,122	2,237	2,899
Arkansas	11,055	9,860	10,845	11,725	10,318	8,977	60	48	43	29	23	29	6,646	4,733	4,663	3,400	2,373	2,603
Louisiana	6,626	5,825	5,825	5,941	6,238	5,988	63	56	48	34	31	36	4,204	3,262	2,796	2,020	1,934	2,156
Oklahoma	22,564	20,497	20,497	22,135	19,921	17,331	61	50	45	30	23	29	13,864	10,248	9,224	6,640	4,582	5,026
Texas	35,727	34,460	34,460	35,840	32,256	29,030	57	48	41	29	25	29	20,223	16,541	14,129	10,394	8,064	8,419
South Central	132,481	122,265	121,061	130,171	119,768	111,546	58.9	50.0	43.2	30.4	25.6	31.1	78,257	61,144	52,269	39,626	30,608	34,666
Montana	3,525	3,610	3,610	3,680	3,496	2,972	62	55	48	40	32	34	2,192	1,986	1,733	1,472	1,119	1,010
Idaho	3,448	3,907	3,427	3,015	3,317	3,029	64	55	48	34	27	32	2,203	2,149	1,645	1,025	896	969
Wyoming	1,255	1,320	1,400	1,190	1,357	1,153	65	58	47	38	33	37	819	766	658	452	448	427
Colorado	5,987	5,825	5,245	5,040	5,393	5,339	69	56	47	35	28	33	4,120	3,262	2,465	1,764	1,510	1,762
New Mexico	1,383	1,380	1,450	1,670	1,586	1,348	66	59	50	40	32	32	918	814	725	668	508	431
Arizona	998	997	947	995	1,015	863	82	77	72	59	50	57	822	768	682	587	508	492
Utah	3,160	4,248	3,398	2,752	3,633	2,906	59	51	42	36	29	31	1,856	2,166	1,427	991	1,054	901
Nevada	424	527	448	336	420	336	77	74	65	47	45	46	324	390	291	158	189	155
Washington	10,911	10,842	10,083	11,090	10,868	10,107	61	52	50	35	31	35	6,656	5,638	5,042	3,882	3,369	3,537
Oregon	4,737	5,074	5,330	4,477	4,790	4,646	65	60	52	40	33	36	3,073	3,044	2,772	1,791	1,581	1,673
California	24,431	29,310	24,900	21,165	22,223	21,112	65	69	55	47	42	41	15,942	20,224	13,695	9,948	9,334	8,656
Western	60,258	67,040	60,238	55,410	58,098	53,811	64.6	61.5	51.7	41.0	35.3	37.2	38,925	41,207	31,135	22,738	20,516	20,013
United States	653,860	653,101	629,275	656,007	664,383	592,185	73.2	63.2	55.9	40.7	33.8	40.9	478,690	412,904	351,584	267,252	224,459	242,422

Early Lamb Situation, April 1, 1935

Weather and feed conditions as factors in the development of the early spring lamb crop varied greatly during March among the different early lambing areas. In California and Arizona they continued exceptionally favorable; in the Southeastern States—Tennessee, Kentucky, and Virginia—they improved considerably; in the Northwestern States—Idaho, Washington, and Oregon—they were rather unfavorable; in the Corn Belt areas they were about average; in Texas they continued very unfavorable. In general the development of the lambs to the 1st of April in the earlier areas—those from which the marketings will be in volume before the middle of May—was considerably above average, whereas in the later areas the development of the lambs was hardly up to average as of April 1.

Conditions in the important early lambing States are reported as follows:

California.—March weather was cool and was accompanied by well-distributed rainfall, and green feed was abundant over all the early lambing areas. The early lambs have developed rapidly and by April 1 had attained an average size and condition much above that at the corresponding date in any recent year if in any other year. Lambs slaughtered locally and shipped east in March were much above average in weight and dressing yield. The decline in prices and abundant feed have made growers slow to sell and may tend to delay eastern shipments. Such shipments are expected to be considerably larger this year than last, and in total live weight, if not in head, may be close to a record for the State.

Arizona.—Weather and feed conditions in March were excellent. Early lambs made good gains and are being marketed at considerably above average weights. Rather heavy shipments of fat range lambs in June may be made.

Southeastern States.—Mild temperatures and abundant rainfall in March brought on early pastures, and green feed is generally available. Although the early lambs have done well there have been too many damp cloudy days for the best development. *Tennessee.*—Pasture condition April 1 was the best since 1929. Condition of early lambs much better than on April 1 last year and about average. The proportion of lambs dropped before April 1 this year was below average. *Kentucky.*—March weather was favorable and the condition of the early lambs April 1 was above average. Pastures are furnishing abundant green feed. The market movement is expected to start earlier than usual. *Virginia.*—March weather was favorable and early lambs made rapid improvement during the month. Pastures are early and ample moisture insures excellent pasture to the end of April at least. Shipments in May are expected to be much larger than usual.

Corn Belt.—Pastures in the early lambing areas are somewhat backward as an effect of last year's drought, but moisture is ample. Weather conditions in March were fairly favorable for early lambs, but ewes are thin and new grass is needed, as hay and other feeds are very short.

Northwestern States.—March was cold and windy over much of this area and pastures and range feed made little growth. *Idaho.*—Cool weather was not favorable for development of lambs during March, especially with bands that had been moved to range feed which made little growth. Warm weather and additional moisture are needed. *Washington.*—Cold, stormy weather in March stopped growth of pastures and range feed and made necessary further feeding of hay. *Oregon.*—Pastures and ranges are backward as a result of cold, windy weather. Growth of lambs has been checked and marketings will be delayed. Early ranges need more moisture.

Texas.—The feed situation in the early lambing areas is still very bad. Shortage of green feed and dust storms have held back the growth of the early lambs. Losses of both lambs and ewes have been heavy in some areas. Few early lambs will be in market condition before June. Marketings of grass fat wethers and yearlings will be greatly reduced.

Average Wages Paid to Hired Farm Labor, by States, Apr. 1 1933, 1934, and 1935

State and division	Per month, with board			Per month, without board			Per day, with board			Per day, without board		
	April			April			April			April		
	1933	1934	1935	1933	1934	1935	1933	1934	1935	1933	1934	1935
	Dollars	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*
Maine	20.25	23.75	24.25	33.75	39.00	38.25	1.05	1.35	1.40	1.55	1.90	1.90
New Hampshire	23.75	27.00	27.25	44.25	45.75	50.50	1.35	1.45	1.65	2.05	2.20	2.40
Vermont	20.75	23.75	25.50	34.50	39.50	40.50	1.15	1.30	1.35	1.60	1.95	1.90
Massachusetts	27.00	27.75	29.50	50.50	55.00	55.25	1.40	1.65	1.70	2.10	2.40	2.55
Rhode Island	29.00	29.75	37.75	53.50	59.75	62.50	1.55	1.80	1.95	2.10	2.35	2.40
Connecticut	22.50	25.75	28.50	45.50	48.75	49.75	1.30	1.50	1.70	2.05	2.30	2.40
New England	23.22	25.74	27.46	42.31	46.56	47.46	1.26	1.47	1.57	1.87	2.16	2.24
New York	20.50	23.00	23.75	35.00	37.50	39.00	1.20	1.30	1.35	1.70	1.85	2.00
New Jersey	23.00	27.00	26.75	43.00	45.00	45.25	1.35	1.55	1.55	1.85	2.10	2.10
Pennsylvania	18.25	20.25	21.50	29.75	33.50	35.00	1.10	1.25	1.30	1.55	1.70	1.80
Middle Atlantic	19.91	22.39	23.22	33.87	36.80	38.16	1.18	1.31	1.35	1.66	1.82	1.93
Ohio	15.75	17.75	19.75	25.50	27.75	30.00	.90	1.05	1.15	1.20	1.45	1.55
Indiana	16.50	19.25	21.00	24.75	27.75	29.75	.85	1.00	1.05	1.10	1.30	1.40
Illinois	17.50	21.00	24.00	24.75	29.00	33.00	.90	1.05	1.15	1.15	1.35	1.55
Michigan	13.50	18.25	20.25	23.75	28.50	32.25	.85	1.10	1.15	1.20	1.50	1.65
Wisconsin	15.25	17.75	22.00	25.25	28.25	32.75	.85	1.00	1.05	1.25	1.40	1.50
East North Central	15.91	18.95	21.62	24.86	28.29	31.63	.87	1.04	1.11	1.18	1.39	1.53
Minnesota	16.00	18.00	22.00	24.75	28.50	33.00	.85	1.00	1.10	1.30	1.45	1.65
Iowa	16.50	21.75	25.75	23.75	28.75	32.50	.85	1.05	1.15	1.20	1.45	1.55
Missouri	16.00	17.00	17.50	23.25	24.50	25.75	.75	.80	.85	1.00	1.10	1.15
North Dakota	16.50	19.75	20.75	26.00	31.00	32.25	.85	1.00	1.05	1.30	1.45	1.55
South Dakota	16.50	18.00	20.75	27.00	29.25	30.50	.85	1.00	1.05	1.25	1.45	1.55
Nebraska	16.50	20.00	20.50	26.00	28.75	29.50	.85	1.10	1.00	1.20	1.50	1.45
Kansas	16.50	18.25	19.75	26.25	28.75	30.50	.85	1.00	1.05	1.25	1.40	1.50
West North Central	16.28	18.88	21.10	24.77	27.92	30.33	.83	.97	1.03	1.19	1.37	1.46
Delaware	17.00	18.00	19.25	28.25	28.00	30.50	.95	1.10	1.15	1.25	1.45	1.55
Maryland	18.25	20.25	22.00	28.75	31.00	33.50	.90	1.05	1.10	1.25	1.10	1.50
Virginia	15.50	17.50	18.00	22.50	25.50	26.50	.70	.90	.90	1.00	1.20	1.20
West Virginia	16.25	17.00	18.75	25.00	26.75	28.75	.80	.99	.95	1.15	1.25	1.30
North Carolina	9.75	14.25	15.50	14.75	21.25	23.00	.50	.75	.80	.65	.95	1.00
South Carolina	7.75	10.50	10.50	11.75	15.25	16.25	.40	.55	.55	.55	.75	.70
Georgia	6.75	9.25	10.50	10.75	11.50	15.25	.40	.55	.60	.55	.75	.80
Florida	11.00	14.00	14.00	19.50	22.00	23.00	.60	.80	.75	.85	1.10	1.05
South Atlantic	10.62	13.38	14.27	16.37	20.18	21.44	.54	.72	.75	.75	.96	.99
Kentucky	13.00	14.50	16.25	19.50	21.50	23.50	.65	.75	.80	.85	.95	1.05
Tennessee	12.00	14.00	15.00	17.00	19.75	21.50	.55	.70	.75	.70	.90	.95
Alabama	8.00	11.00	11.75	12.00	15.25	17.25	.45	.60	.60	.55	.80	.85
Mississippi	8.75	11.00	12.00	13.25	16.25	17.50	.45	.60	.60	.60	.80	.85
East South Central	10.39	12.60	13.71	15.36	18.12	19.89	.52	.66	.69	.67	.86	.92
Arkansas	10.75	12.75	13.75	16.25	19.00	20.25	.50	.65	.65	.70	.85	.90
Louisiana	10.50	12.75	13.50	16.75	19.00	20.00	.55	.65	.70	.80	.85	.95
Oklahoma	13.50	17.25	16.75	20.50	25.00	25.25	.65	.85	.85	.90	1.15	1.15
Texas	12.75	17.25	17.75	19.25	25.25	26.50	.60	.90	.85	.85	1.10	1.10
West South Central	12.10	15.59	16.06	18.44	22.90	23.93	.58	.80	.78	.82	1.02	1.04
Montana	23.25	28.00	30.25	34.25	42.25	43.75	1.05	1.25	1.35	1.55	1.90	2.00
Idaho	22.00	29.75	31.50	33.00	43.75	46.00	1.05	1.40	1.50	1.50	1.85	2.05
Wyoming	21.00	27.25	27.75	32.25	38.50	44.75	1.00	1.15	1.30	1.30	1.70	1.80
Colorado	18.50	21.25	22.25	30.00	33.75	36.00	.95	1.05	1.15	1.35	1.50	1.60
New Mexico	17.25	21.00	21.75	27.50	33.00	31.50	.80	1.00	1.05	1.10	1.35	1.40
Arizona	26.00	30.75	31.00	36.50	45.00	45.50	1.00	1.40	1.40	1.35	1.90	1.80
Utah	26.00	32.00	33.25	37.75	45.00	46.75	1.20	1.50	1.60	1.65	2.00	2.05
Nevada	26.75	33.50	32.50	42.25	45.00	46.25	1.30	1.25	1.50	1.50	1.80	2.00
Mountain	21.58	26.45	27.93	32.72	39.54	40.98	1.00	1.23	1.32	1.40	1.71	1.79
Washington	21.00	25.50	26.75	34.00	42.00	45.00	1.05	1.50	1.50	1.70	2.20	2.10
Oregon	18.75	23.50	25.75	32.50	39.50	41.25	1.05	1.30	1.30	1.45	1.85	1.90
California	27.00	33.00	35.00	44.00	52.00	57.00	1.15	1.40	1.55	1.70	2.15	2.35
Pacific	24.71	30.29	32.20	40.57	48.42	52.58	1.12	1.40	1.50	1.66	2.11	2.24
United States	14.67	17.70	19.11	22.98	26.83	28.82	.75	.93	.97	1.05	1.27	1.34

Prices Received by Farmers, March 15, 1935

Seasonal declines in hog slaughter raised prices received by farmers for live hogs about three times the usual seasonal amount during the month ended March 15. At $8.10 per 100 pounds in mid-March, the local market price of hogs was exactly $1 higher than a month earlier and more than double the low level prevailing in March 1934. Hog slaughter at 8 primary markets amounted to 877,000 head during the 4 weeks ended March 16, compared with 1,170,000 head during the preceding 4 weeks, and 1,558,000 head in the corresponding period of last year. The proportionate reduction in slaughter from February to March corresponded almost exactly with the average percentage decrease recorded during the same period in the 5 years, 1930–34, but the actual level of slaughter was the lowest in more than 20 years. The fact that slaughter has slumped to exceedingly low levels and that stocks of pork products failed to show the usual seasonal increase during February apparently account for the sharp advance in prices of live hogs at local farm markets from February 15 to March 15.

The increase in the price of hogs was accompanied by a moderate decline in prices received by farmers for corn. In consequence, the hog-corn ratio advanced sharply from its record low February 15 level. On March 15, 100 pounds of hogs would purchase 9.8 bushels of corn at United States average local market prices as compared with 8.4 bushels a month earlier and 8.2 bushels in March 1934. The average March 15 ratio, however, for the past 25 years amounted to 11.8.

The local market price of corn declined 1.8 cents per bushel from February 15 to March 15 as a result of a general weakening in feeder demand, and relatively large supplies of imported grain. Mild weather apparently reduced feeding requirements somewhat during the early part of March, while weakness in foreign exchange enabled importers to offer additional supplies at somewhat reduced price levels. Light commercial stocks

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Farm Wage Rates and Index Numbers, 1927–35

Year	Average yearly farm wages [1]				Weighted average wage rate per month [2]	Index numbers of farm wages (1910–14=100)
	Per month—		Per day—			
	With board	Without board	With board	Without board		
1927	$34.58	$48.63	$1.90	$2.46	$40.60	170
1928	34.66	48.65	1.88	2.43	40.44	169
1929	34.74	49.08	1.88	2.42	40.52	170
1930	31.14	44.59	1.65	2.16	36.24	152
1931	23.60	35.03	1.22	1.65	27.61	116
1932	17.53	26.67	.88	1.21	20.46	86
1933	15.86	24.51	.86	1.18	19.17	80
1934	17.89	27.17	.98	1.31	21.50	90
1927—January	32.94	47.07	1.79	2.36	38.79	162
April	34.53	48.47	1.78	2.37	39.71	166
July	35.59	49.52	1.89	2.44	41.07	172
October	35.68	49.77	1.96	2.51	41.71	175
1928—January	32.50	46.75	1.76	2.34	38.35	161
April	34.46	48.44	1.78	2.34	39.56	166
July	35.39	49.32	1.84	2.39	40.55	170
October	35.75	49.60	1.96	2.51	41.71	175
1929—January	33.04	47.24	1.78	2.34	38.75	162
April	34.68	49.00	1.79	2.34	39.80	167
July	36.08	50.53	1.89	2.43	41.42	173
October	35.90	50.00	1.92	2.46	41.49	174
1930—January	32.29	46.80	1.73	2.27	37.88	159
April	33.83	47.81	1.72	2.27	38.66	162
July	33.47	47.24	1.72	2.23	38.26	160
October	31.23	44.28	1.61	2.12	35.90	150
1931—January	26.03	39.04	1.38	1.87	30.86	129
April	25.99	38.37	1.33	1.80	30.25	127
July	25.35	37.00	1.29	1.73	29.30	123
October	23.31	34.22	1.18	1.59	26.95	113
1932—January	19.77	30.53	1.02	1.40	23.40	98
April	19.19	29.13	.97	1.35	22.51	94
July	18.00	27.10	.89	1.23	20.85	87
October	17.29	26.36	.87	1.19	20.18	84
1933—January	14.77	23.62	.76	1.06	17.68	74
April	14.67	22.98	.75	1.05	17.44	73
July	15.84	24.27	.82	1.12	18.72	78
October	17.19	25.89	.91	1.25	20.45	86
1934—January	15.73	24.90	.87	1.21	19.34	81
April	17.70	26.88	.93	1.27	21.00	88
July	18.18	27.29	.97	1.30	21.56	90
October	18.63	27.83	1.00	1.34	22.13	93
1935—January	17.04	26.69	.92	1.26	20.61	86
April	19.11	28.82	.97	1.34	22.38	94

[1] Yearly averages are from reports by crop reporters, giving average wages for the year in their localities, except for 1927–32, when the wage rates per month are a straight average of quarterly rates, April, July, October, of the current year, and January of the following year and the wage rates per day are weighted averages of quarterly rates. April (weight 1), July (weight 5), October (weight 5), January of the following year (weight 1).

[2] This column has significance only as an essential step in computing the wage index.

Employment on Farms of Crop Reporters, Apr. 1, 1935, with Comparisons

[Persons per 100 farms]

Family Labor

Division	February 1934	March 1934	April 1934	February 1935	March 1935	April 1935
United States	216	217	223	212	211	212
New England	150	156	159	146	144	145
Middle Atlantic	169	162	167	180	176	176
East North Central	171	168	169	175	171	170
West North Central	179	173	178	178	172	173
South Atlantic	265	286	287	270	274	280
East South Central	362	353	367	349	361	355
West South Central	243	249	269	231	233	239
Mountain	184	190	192	161	161	161
Pacific	167	171	175	173	165	165

Hired Labor

United States	73	67	80	65	68	72
New England	89	91	98	74	67	74
Middle Atlantic	62	56	72	56	57	66
East North Central	40	38	46	46	45	51
West North Central	37	36	43	31	31	36
South Atlantic	119	120	143	122	135	134
East South Central	103	94	105	92	95	90
West South Central	66	60	77	59	56	51
Mountain	60	59	67	54	56	63
Pacific	214	152	185	127	163	191

Family and Hired Labor Combined

United States	289	284	303	277	279	284
New England	239	247	257	220	211	219
Middle Atlantic	231	218	239	236	233	242
East North Central	211	206	215	221	216	221
West North Central	216	209	221	209	203	209
South Atlantic	384	406	430	392	409	414
East South Central	465	447	472	441	456	445
West South Central	309	309	346	290	289	290
Mountain	244	249	259	215	217	224
Pacific	381	323	360	300	328	356

Farm Labor Supply and Demand, Apr. 1, 1934 and 1935

State and division	Farm labor supply, percent of normal		Farm labor demand, percent of normal		Supply expressed as percent of demand	
	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935
	Percent	*Percent*	*Percent*	*Percent*	*Percent*	*Percent*
Maine	109	104	69	76	158	137
New Hampshire	100	102	76	75	132	136
Vermont	112	104	80	89	140	117
Massachusetts	111	110	78	78	142	141
Rhode Island	111	104	85	87	131	120
Connecticut	110	111	83	78	133	142
New England	109.3	106.6	77.3	79.6	141.4	133.9
New York	107	103	75	78	143	132
New Jersey	106	105	84	86	126	122
Pennsylvania	108	102	77	78	140	131
Middle Atlantic	107.3	102.8	76.8	78.9	139.7	130.3
Ohio	109	103	65	74	168	139
Indiana	116	106	69	78	168	136
Illinois	115	102	69	78	167	131
Michigan	109	102	73	78	149	131
Wisconsin	119	104	74	82	161	127
East North Central	113.8	103.3	69.7	77.9	163.3	132.6
Minnesota	121	103	64	74	189	139
Iowa	112	106	74	77	151	138
Missouri	109	104	66	65	165	160
North Dakota	109	102	68	63	160	162
South Dakota	114	94	50	49	228	192
Nebraska	115	116	66	57	174	204
Kansas	118	108	58	53	203	204
West North Central	114.1	105.1	65.2	65.6	175.0	160.2
Delaware	98	98	76	87	129	113
Maryland	100	100	81	84	123	119
Virginia	104	101	71	81	145	125
West Virginia	103	100	61	71	169	141
North Carolina	99	94	70	82	141	115
South Carolina	94	93	75	79	125	118
Georgia	93	91	74	83	126	110
Florida	94	98	74	77	127	127
South Atlantic	97.3	95.2	72.6	80.8	134.0	117.8
Kentucky	107	97	64	71	167	137
Tennessee	102	97	73	77	140	126
Alabama	97	95	74	79	131	120
Mississippi	97	93	75	79	129	118
East South Central	100.7	95.5	71.5	76.6	140.8	124.7
Arkansas	104	96	65	63	160	152.4
Louisiana	107	99	74	73	145	136
Oklahoma	116	112	61	59	190	190
Texas	105	104	57	60	184	173
West South Central	107.0	102.9	62.2	62.6	172.0	164.4
Montana	116	102	67	70	173	146
Idaho	120	107	73	77	164	139
Wyoming	115	105	69	61	167	172
Colorado	120	110	65	53	185	208
New Mexico	110	112	66	53	167	211
Arizona	115	120	71	74	162	162
Utah	134	124	55	56	244	221
Nevada	133	115	57	66	233	174
Mountain	118.9	111.4	66.3	62.7	179.3	177.7
Washington	118	113	63	69	187	164
Oregon	115	114	70	73	164	156
California	108	104	78	81	138	128
Pacific	110.8	107.0	74.2	77.8	149.3	137.5
United States	107.0	101.4	69.4	73.4	154.2	138.1

Prices Received by Farmers, March 15, 1935—Continued

of domestic corn at principal United States markets, which amounted to only about 26,000,000 bushels on March 16 as compared with 67,000,000 a year earlier, and limited domestic offerings supported the price received by farmers at a level considerably higher than in mid-March of last year. At 82.7 cents per bushel on March 15, the United States average farm price was still 35.6 cents higher than in March 1934.

The United States average local market price of wheat also declined during the month ended March 15. A fall of 2.4 cents per bushel lowered the price received by farmers to 85.5 cents per bushel in mid-March. Improved prospects for the winter wheat crop in the East North Central States, where the decline averaged 3.6 cents per bushel for the month, together with general weakness in all speculative farm commodity markets apparently were responsible for the price decline. In March 1934, however, the local market price of wheat averaged 70.9 cents per bushel.

Average Prices Received by Farmers for Farm Products, Mar. 15, 1934 and 1935, by States

State and division	Wheat, per bushel		Corn, per bushel		Oats, per bushel		Barley, per bushel		Rye, per bushel		Buckwheat, per bushel		Flaxseed, per bushel		Grain sorghums, per 100 lb.		Potatoes, per bushel		Sweet-potatoes, per bushel		Hay (all loose), per per ton		Cotton, per pound		Cotton-seed, per ton		Apples, per bushel	
	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935
	Ct.	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*
Maine	126	150	70	100	42	51	58	75	----	----	65	65	----	----	----	----	85	16	----	----	10.70	14.10	----	----	----	----	0.75	1.15
New Hampshire	----	----	74	100	55	69	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	135	47	----	----	15.70	16.80	----	----	----	----	.85	1.50
Vermont	----	----	60	100	51	61	60	75	----	----	65	70	----	----	----	----	120	42	----	----	15.60	16.70	----	----	----	----	1.20	1.85
Massachusetts	----	----	80	95	60	65	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	140	53	----	----	16.00	19.80	----	----	----	----	1.00	1.60
Rhode Island	----	----	90	95	57	65	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	130	55	----	----	17.10	20.30	----	----	----	----	1.00	1.75
Connecticut	----	----	75	95	55	65	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	135	51	----	----	15.70	19.00	----	----	----	----	1.20	1.55
New England	----	----	----	----	44.6	53.9	58.7	75.0	----	----	65.0	65.7	----	----	----	----	92.8	21.0	----	----	14.28	16.66	----	----	----	----	.98	1.58
New York	86	93	62	90	47	57	57	74	65	77	52	58	----	----	----	----	110	33	----	----	10.50	15.70	----	----	----	----	1.10	1.20
New Jersey	96	99	62	89	44	55	56	72	66	72	66	70	----	----	----	----	115	50	95	102	12.80	15.70	----	----	----	----	1.20	1.30
Pennsylvania	89	95	59	82	44	55	56	70	66	72	53	56	----	----	----	----	110	33	----	----	9.60	14.80	----	----	----	----	1.10	1.35
Middle Atlantic	88.7	94.8	59.6	83.5	45.3	55.9	56.6	72.8	65.9	72.6	52.5	57.1	----	----	----	----	110.7	35.0	----	----	10.27	15.34	----	----	----	----	1.11	1.15
Ohio	83	88	46	76	35	49	45	58	58	66	54	55	----	----	----	----	120	47	----	----	7.40	13.90	----	----	----	----	1.20	1.30
Indiana	80	85	45	76	33	48	52	67	54	62	55	55	----	----	----	----	115	50	140	95	8.80	13.40	----	----	----	----	1.50	1.40
Illinois	78	87	42	77	32	49	54	77	56	66	55	62	----	----	----	----	130	63	125	90	8.90	13.90	----	----	----	----	1.55	1.45
Michigan	79	86	52	79	40	50	58	75	53	58	49	59	----	----	----	----	90	24	----	----	9.30	17.00	----	----	----	----	1.05	1.20
Wisconsin	81	95	47	76	34	49	57	99	54	60	51	63	150	148	----	----	75	24	----	----	10.70	18.90	----	----	----	----	1.35	1.30
East North Central	80.4	86.7	44.5	76.6	33.9	49.1	56.2	93.9	54.5	61.5	52.6	58.5	----	----	----	----	92.7	30.2	132.5	92.0	9.21	15.58	----	----	----	----	1.20	1.20
Minnesota	74	96	36	77	28	50	49	84	48	55	43	50	163	161	----	----	65	35	----	----	7.20	15.50	----	----	----	----	1.65	1.75
Iowa	72	92	37	80	28	52	48	82	51	70	55	73	161	150	----	----	100	68	150	150	7.60	17.30	----	----	----	----	1.45	1.60
Missouri	75	90	45	95	37	67	54	87	65	85	65	85	149	140	105	250	120	84	105	100	8.00	16.80	10.9	11.0	19.00	35.00	1.45	1.40
North Dakota	67	93	43	93	26	49	34	64	41	49	50	53	157	156	----	----	65	55	----	----	6.20	14.60	----	----	----	----	----	----
South Dakota	65	93	40	89	30	56	40	81	43	61	48	70	156	156	----	----	80	82	----	----	7.20	15.90	----	----	----	----	1.80	----
Nebraska	66	86	34	90	29	62	31	83	42	82	50	----	146	----	97	300	80	77	----	----	5.00	16.30	----	----	----	----	1.75	1.60
Kansas	69	85	40	96	35	64	43	92	47	83	----	----	148	149	76	195	130	100	115	130	5.60	13.70	----	----	----	----	1.55	1.45
West North Central	68.8	88.0	37.6	80.9	29.4	53.8	42.2	80.7	44.5	60.6	47.2	65.8	160.7	159.0	78.9	208.4	77.5	50.6	116.6	117.3	6.54	16.00	----	----	----	----	1.52	1.50
Delaware	89	91	58	81	44	54	----	----	98	79	75	65	----	----	----	----	110	49	85	80	11.90	12.80	----	----	----	----	1.15	1.15
Maryland	89	92	57	85	42	56	56	71	79	80	59	64	----	----	----	----	105	49	85	87	11.50	12.20	----	----	----	----	1.20	1.05
Virginia	95	99	65	88	43	53	58	69	79	86	66	77	----	----	----	----	110	70	75	80	11.90	14.70	12.3	11.6	20.00	40.00	1.05	1.00
West Virginia	88	98	64	89	49	66	56	66	68	77	64	75	----	----	----	----	115	65	----	115	10.40	15.70	----	----	----	----	.95	1.15
North Carolina	104	111	71	85	63	73	76	86	96	97	75	76	----	----	----	----	120	65	65	70	14.00	15.50	12.2	11.8	22.00	41.00	1.10	1.30
South Carolina	108	117	79	93	71	80	----	----	140	128	----	----	----	----	----	----	130	85	70	73	13.30	15.00	12.3	11.7	27.75	43.00	1.50	1.40
Georgia	113	121	76	90	67	73	----	----	119	120	----	----	----	----	----	----	140	90	70	69	12.00	14.00	12.0	11.2	25.50	42.00	1.35	1.40
Florida	----	----	79	87	71	76	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	105	135	90	74	11.50	12.30	11.1	11.6	18.50	34.00	----	----
South Atlantic	94.7	99.6	70.3	87.8	62.2	72.9	60.2	72.2	87.1	90.3	64.9	74.0	----	----	----	----	114.7	73.2	71.3	72.7	11.99	14.16	12.1	11.5	25.05	41.89	1.08	1.11
Kentucky	88	90	57	81	49	64	59	74	69	73	75	82	----	----	----	----	120	75	95	80	9.20	11.70	----	----	----	----	1.35	1.40
Tennessee	97	101	59	81	53	69	69	79	88	93	75	82	----	----	----	----	130	80	95	70	10.60	13.40	11.6	11.4	20.50	38.00	1.10	1.35
Alabama	107	115	80	81	61	72	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	125	93	80	60	10.70	12.00	12.0	11.4	23.00	42.00	1.65	1.45
Mississippi	----	----	73	85	58	72	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	140	122	75	65	10.00	11.70	12.1	11.8	22.50	42.00	1.50	1.65
East South Central	92.2	95.2	64.6	81.8	53.0	68.8	64.7	77.0	77.3	80.3	75.0	82.0	----	----	----	----	126.0	85.9	83.8	65.9	9.99	12.34	12.0	11.6	22.34	41.35	1.29	1.39
Arkansas	83	102	69	103	49	74	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	120	117	75	92	9.20	11.60	11.6	11.6	18.75	38.00	1.30	1.20
Louisiana	----	----	67	98	50	63	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	130	115	65	80	8.20	12.00	11.8	11.5	17.75	38.00	1.45	1.50
Oklahoma	69	86	52	99	41	62	49	78	62	86	----	----	----	----	92	175	135	95	75	105	5.70	11.00	11.0	10.8	17.75	39.00	1.35	1.25
Texas	69	87	64	107	43	64	52	85	78	96	----	----	----	----	99	190	135	110	75	105	8.10	13.60	11.6	11.2	20.00	40.00	1.85	1.55
West South Central	69.1	86.5	63.7	103.7	42.3	63.6	51.1	82.6	65.2	89.8	----	----	----	----	97.6	185.6	130.5	109.2	71.6	90.6	7.67	12.71	11.5	11.3	19.27	39.25	1.33	1.22
Montana	61	83	55	97	34	48	41	63	33	45	----	----	149	145	----	----	65	73	----	----	6.10	10.90	----	----	----	----	.75	.85
Idaho	55	67	60	81	30	43	39	58	53	64	----	----	----	----	----	----	60	47	----	----	5.90	8.40	----	----	----	----	.70	.80
Wyoming	59	94	41	105	33	63	37	79	40	83	----	----	137	----	----	----	65	75	----	----	7.20	13.00	----	----	----	----	1.65	1.55
Colorado	61	91	37	97	29	60	31	82	44	80	----	----	----	----	88	300	65	54	----	----	5.40	12.50	----	----	----	----	1.00	.90
New Mexico	66	94	55	110	38	70	50	79	----	----	----	----	----	----	76	180	90	95	----	----	8.50	13.00	12.0	13.2	13.60	41.00	1.45	1.75
Arizona	82	93	80	110	43	70	58	80	----	----	----	----	----	----	84	145	120	120	----	----	6.60	13.60	14.0	12.6	13.00	32.00	1.95	2.00
Utah	67	87	70	109	34	59	47	79	65	80	----	----	----	----	----	----	60	50	----	----	6.70	11.60	----	----	----	----	1.15	1.30
Nevada	79	82	70	108	43	55	60	63	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	70	60	----	----	5.00	9.30	----	----	----	----	1.40	1.30
Mountain	59.9	79.5	41.6	96.2	32.2	50.4	37.6	69.1	39.1	65.0	----	----	----	----	80.0	181.8	63.0	52.2	----	----	6.15	10.88	12.9	12.9	13.00	36.05	.82	1.05
Washington	59	68	54	80	33	45	36	60	63	77	----	----	----	----	----	----	65	48	----	----	9.90	8.80	----	----	----	----	.85	.75
Oregon	60	72	60	91	32	44	43	65	70	78	----	----	----	----	----	----	65	49	----	----	7.80	8.00	----	----	----	----	.65	.75
California	65	83	60	100	35	46	34	54	----	----	----	----	----	175	90	140	75	66	135	105	8.20	9.40	12.1	11.4	13.00	32.00	.80	.90
Pacific	60.5	71.0	58.5	97.0	32.7	44.7	35.1	55.5	58.1	77.7	----	----	----	----	----	----	68.6	55.4	----	----	8.41	8.89	----	----	----	----	.82	.77
United States	70.9	85.5	47.1	82.7	33.9	54.1	43.7	76.0	53.1	66.5	54.3	59.6	160.4	159.4	91.8	186.1	92.0	43.6	78.2	75.8	8.34	13.79	11.7	11.5	20.84	40.08	1.04	1.05

Average Prices Received by Farmers for Farm Products, Mar. 15, 1935, with Comparisons

Date	Wheat, per bushel	Corn, per bushel	Oats, per bushel	Barley, per bushel	Rye, per bushel	Buckwheat, per bushel	Potatoes, per bushel	Sweet-potatoes, per bushel	Flaxseed, per bushel	Apples, per bushel	Hay, per ton	Cotton, per pound	Butterfat, per pound	Milk (whole) wholesale, 100 lb.	Eggs, per dozen	Chickens, per pound
	Cents	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Dollars*	*Cents*	*Cents*
5-year average, August 1909 to July 1914	88.4	64.2	39.9	61.9	72.0	73.0	69.7	88.3	109.1	0.96	11.87	12.4	26.3	1.79	21.5	11.4
March average, 1910–14	88.9	61.3	40.3	63.6	72.0	71.4	67.5	89.6	173.5	1.11	12.06	12.4	27.1	1.80	19.6	11.4
1930, March 15	91.9	74.5	41.4	51.4	68.4	94.9	136.3	111.6	261.5	1.55	10.95	13.8	31.9	2.38	21.3	20.6
1931, March 15	58.3	57.5	30.1	31.4	31.3	77.4	84.9	105.5	130.1	1.06	10.66	9.6	27.5	1.92	17.0	16.1
1932, March 15	44.2	32.2	22.8	37.2	37.7	41.7	45.7	64.4	118.7	.71	8.69	6.2	19.5	1.43	10.4	12.6
1933, March 15	31.5	20.6	13.7	18.3	22.8	39.5	39.0	46.6	88.0	.70	5.89	6.1	15.1	1.10	10.1	9.1
1934:																
March 15	70.9	47.1	33.9	43.7	53.1	54.3	92.0	78.2	160.4	1.04	8.34	11.7	23.5	1.50	14.4	10.7
April 15	68.7	47.4	32.6	42.5	52.8	55.5	83.4	81.0	155.0	1.09	8.59	11.6	21.0	1.46	13.5	11.1
May 15	69.5	48.6	32.7	42.2	51.9	55.5	73.7	82.8	163.7	1.14	8.94	11.0	21.5	1.45	13.3	11.2
June 15	78.9	56.0	38.9	50.9	58.2	60.8	64.4	86.8	167.8	1.22	9.75	11.6	22.2	1.47	13.2	11.2
July 15	78.8	59.2	40.6	52.6	61.8	64.7	66.9	87.0	168.0	1.00	10.18	12.3	22.1	1.50	14.1	11.7
August 15	89.6	72.7	45.8	63.5	73.9	67.0	68.0	97.5	176.7	.82	12.50	13.1	24.3	1.52	17.2	11.4
September 15	92.2	77.4	50.3	78.2	79.1	68.8	62.8	87.9	175.2	.82	13.03	13.1	24.0	1.57	21.9	12.7
October 15	88.5	76.7	50.5	75.5	75.0	60.4	49.0	74.8	167.1	.84	13.40	12.5	24.3	1.60	23.7	11.8
November 15	88.4	75.7	51.1	75.9	71.9	55.5	45.9	65.0	161.7	.89	13.58	12.3	27.2	1.65	28.6	11.7
December 15	90.6	85.3	53.9	79.7	74.4	56.1	45.4	67.9	168.8	.91	13.86	12.4	28.2	1.69	27.0	11.7
1935:																
January 15	89.3	85.3	51.6	80.2	73.1	57.7	46.1	71.5	167.7	.99	14.02	12.3	30.5	1.76	25.0	12.3
February 15	87.9	81.5	54.7	79.2	69.3	59.7	45.2	74.3	167.0	1.04	14.02	12.2	35.9	1.82	25.6	13.4
March 15	85.5	82.7	51.1	76.0	66.5	59.6	43.6	75.8	159.4	1.05	13.79	11.5	31.2	1.77	18.6	11.2

Average Prices Received by Farmers for Farm Products, Mar. 15, 1934 and 1935, by States—Continued

State and division	Hogs, per 100 pounds		Beef cattle, per 100 pounds		Veal calves, per 100 pounds		Sheep, per 100 pounds		Lambs, per 100 pounds		Milk cows, per head		Horses, per head		Mules, per head		Chickens, per pound		Turkeys, per pound		Butter, per pound		Butterfat, per pound		Eggs, per dozen		Wool, per pound	
	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935
	Dol.	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*	*Ct.*
Maine	5.10	7.80	3.15	4.80	5.90	7.70	3.10	4.50	5.30	6.30	40	50	123	150	------	------	14.1	16.9	21.0	20.0	26	34	28	37	22.5	26.4	27	22
New Hampshire	4.60	7.90	3.00	4.80	5.60	7.30	3.50	4.20	6.40	7.20	46	61	95	120	------	------	14.7	16.8	20.0	21.0	27	35	29	38	23.8	29.2	27	20
Vermont	4.95	7.90	2.85	4.40	5.10	6.80	2.50	3.40	5.70	6.40	45	57	120	138	------	------	13.1	16.2	22.0	22.0	29	37	30	39	22.5	26.2	27	22
Massachusetts	4.60	8.90	3.00	4.80	5.70	7.00	3.00	4.00	7.50	7.50	69	85	125	140	------	------	15.4	18.5	23.0	22.0	27	35	29	35	27.9	30.4	26	23
Rhode Island	5.50	8.00	3.00	4.80	6.50	7.50	3.65	4.00	7.00	7.50	67	86	135	140	------	------	16.2	18.2	22.0	27.0	26	34	27	35	25.0	29.6	24	23
Connecticut	5.20	8.00	3.00	4.80	6.30	7.90	3.40	4.00	7.50	7.50	67	80	125	140	------	------	16.2	19.8	23.0	27.0	27	34	27	35	24.2	28.0	30	24
New England	4.85	8.31	3.00	4.69	5.60	7.24	____	4.12	____	6.60	51.70	65.30	118.90	------	------	------	15.0	17.9	22.1	22.5	26.8	34.8	29.4	38.4	24.8	28.5	____	22.1
New York	4.85	8.70	3.80	5.30	5.80	7.40	3.30	3.90	7.50	7.60	57	68	132	138	134	140	14.2	17.0	21.0	24.0	27	35	24	32	21.0	24.3	29	21
New Jersey	5.60	8.90	4.00	5.20	7.10	8.80	3.40	4.50	7.00	7.50	75	91	123	135	130	155	16.5	20.7	22.0	26.0	28	35	26	35	23.0	25.2	30	22
Pennsylvania	5.00	8.70	4.45	7.10	6.50	8.10	3.65	4.10	6.90	7.40	46	57	126	139	127	141	13.9	16.7	19.0	23.0	24	31	25	33	18.9	21.4	30	23
Middle Atlantic	5.03	8.72	4.18	6.37	6.13	7.74	3.48	4.01	7.20	7.49	53.90	65.00	128.80	138.50	129.30	------	14.4	17.4	20.2	23.7	25.3	32.7	24.5	32.5	20.3	23.1	29.5	22.1
Ohio	4.30	8.90	4.40	7.70	5.70	8.40	3.05	3.25	7.50	7.60	31	43	112	130	108	124	11.6	15.0	16.0	19.0	24	31	23	30	15.2	18.1	29	21
Indiana	4.50	8.80	4.60	7.90	5.60	8.10	3.50	3.75	7.80	7.70	31	46	104	127	110	130	10.8	14.6	13.0	16.0	25	32	23	30	13.8	17.6	29	20
Illinois	3.95	8.70	4.60	8.10	5.60	7.80	3.55	4.30	7.60	7.60	36	49	90	110	97	122	10.5	14.9	12.0	16.0	24	31	23	30	13.5	18.0	27	18
Michigan	4.15	8.50	3.65	6.20	5.70	8.60	3.05	3.70	7.80	7.90	33	46	128	137	125	125	11.5	15.0	14.0	17.0	25	32	24	32	15.1	19.0	29	17
Wisconsin	3.75	8.22	3.90	5.00	4.55	6.60	3.00	3.60	7.30	6.80	36	52	106	122	109	114	10.3	14.1	13.0	17.0	26	32	27	35	14.5	19.0	28	19
East North Central	4.15	8.69	4.27	7.46	5.25	7.63	3.17	3.60	7.60	7.61	34.10	48.20	103.20	121.80	101.70	124.20	10.9	14.8	13.8	17.1	24.5	31.4	24.6	32.1	14.4	18.2	28.7	19.4
Minnesota	3.70	8.60	3.65	6.50	5.00	7.30	3.20	4.40	7.60	7.40	32	47	86	108	88	105	8.0	11.6	12.0	16.0	25	33	25	33	13.2	17.7	25	16
Iowa	3.80	8.60	4.65	8.50	4.85	6.90	3.55	3.90	7.60	7.50	33	50	90	109	98	114	9.2	12.7	12.0	15.0	25	33	25	33	13.1	17.7	27	18
Missouri	3.80	8.50	4.30	8.20	5.10	7.90	3.60	4.60	8.00	7.40	25	39	72	93	95	120	9.1	13.6	12.0	16.0	22	29	22	28	12.9	17.4	27	19
North Dakota	3.15	7.70	3.15	6.10	4.25	6.10	3.30	3.70	6.90	6.50	27	38	72	79	74	84	7.0	10.5	12.0	15.0	23	31	23	30	12.0	17.4	24	16
South Dakota	3.50	8.20	3.90	7.45	4.40	6.60	3.90	4.50	7.00	6.90	28	44	69	82	75	94	7.8	12.0	11.0	15.0	25	33	23	30	11.6	16.0	27	15
Nebraska	3.65	8.50	4.60	8.30	4.95	6.80	4.20	4.50	8.20	7.40	33	48	80	89	91	105	8.4	12.2	10.0	14.0	22	30	23	28	11.8	16.7	24	14
Kansas	3.65	8.40	4.20	7.80	4.80	7.30	3.60	4.50	8.20	7.40	28	41	69	80	86	100	7.7	11.0	9.7	14.0	22	31	22	28	12.3	17.0	24	16
West North Central	3.73	8.52	4.24	7.91	4.83	7.08	3.63	4.30	7.60	7.24	30.00	44.90	77.60	92.90	90.80	109.60	8.5	12.3	11.6	15.2	23.1	31.0	23.9	31.1	12.7	17.3	25.7	16.5
Delaware	5.00	7.90	4.10	7.00	6.90	8.60	4.00	3.80	7.60	7.90	47	50	95	110	115	139	14.6	18.2	19.0	22.0	23	29	25	32	18.9	19.1	30	____
Maryland	4.65	8.40	4.70	7.50	6.50	8.60	3.85	3.25	7.60	7.90	40	50	99	128	110	136	14.6	17.4	19.0	23.0	23	27	25	31	17.5	19.2	30	23
Virginia	4.40	7.80	3.80	5.80	5.50	7.20	2.55	2.95	6.50	7.10	30	37	94	112	108	127	13.2	15.8	15.0	19.0	18	24	22	30	16.0	16.5	28	23
West Virginia	4.50	7.30	3.90	5.40	5.30	6.70	3.45	3.90	6.10	6.50	31	36	95	105	83	97	11.1	13.6	15.0	17.0	20	24	21	30	17.0	17.6	30	24
North Carolina	5.00	7.90	3.85	4.30	5.00	5.90	3.70	4.35	5.40	6.10	30	33	94	120	130	155	11.9	14.0	15.0	16.0	22	24	19	29	16.6	15.0	26	20
South Carolina	4.30	7.00	3.30	4.00	4.40	4.95	3.50	4.40	4.75	6.00	31	32	95	95	130	146	12.8	14.5	15.0	18.0	23	26	22	28	16.3	17.2	22	22
Georgia	3.65	6.30	2.75	3.50	3.50	4.50	3.75	3.65	4.80	6.00	24	26	82	91	123	148	12.1	13.8	14.0	17.0	21	25	19	26	13.6	16.6	22	22
Florida	3.40	5.80	3.35	4.60	4.75	6.10	3.50	4.40	4.85	5.70	29	41	80	84	110	122	14.0	16.6	15.0	19.0	26	32	22	28	16.8	21.4	26	22
South Atlantic	4.17	7.04	3.47	4.76	4.97	6.26	3.18	3.57	6.30	6.75	30.90	35.30	94.60	114.70	112.80	132.70	13.0	15.4	15.9	19.1	20.8	24.8	21.0	29.1	16.5	17.4	29.0	23.1
Kentucky	4.15	8.20	3.80	6.40	5.20	7.50	2.70	3.45	6.90	7.50	25	32	62	79	82	107	10.6	14.5	13.0	15.0	23	25	21	29	13.7	16.4	29	23
Tennessee	3.90	7.60	3.40	5.10	4.05	5.90	2.90	3.15	6.30	5.60	23	29	73	90	107	131	10.0	13.6	11.0	15.0	17	21	20	29	12.4	15.8	27	22
Alabama	3.70	6.50	2.55	3.30	3.70	4.45	3.20	3.40	5.60	6.00	23	24	73	80	110	130	10.2	12.2	12.0	14.0	20	21	18	25	12.2	14.8	21	18
Mississippi	3.45	5.90	2.20	2.95	3.20	4.35	2.90	3.75	4.00	4.75	20	22	65	78	100	118	10.2	12.8	12.0	14.0	23	28	20	28	11.6	15.0	24	18
East South Central	3.81	7.05	3.05	4.60	4.06	5.60	2.79	3.39	6.49	6.81	22.70	26.80	66.40	82.30	97.20	121.80	10.3	13.5	12.3	14.7	19.8	22.7	20.4	28.6	12.7	15.7	27.7	22.3
Arkansas	3.30	5.70	2.65	3.80	3.90	5.10	3.35	3.80	5.80	5.90	20	26	60	71	87	103	8.6	12.1	10.0	14.0	22	27	20	23	11.8	16.1	21	18
Louisiana	3.70	5.50	3.20	4.30	4.10	4.85	3.00	3.90	4.60	5.00	28	28	51	57	85	94	11.0	13.6	13.0	17.0	24	29	17	25	11.8	15.6	22	19
Oklahoma	3.40	7.80	3.15	5.40	3.95	6.20	3.70	4.80	7.50	7.50	22	32	63	72	87	98	8.7	12.2	9.6	14.0	22	29	20	27	11.9	16.8	19	19
Texas	3.50	7.10	3.25	5.20	3.90	6.00	3.90	3.80	5.60	5.60	25	30	50	60	78	92	8.7	12.2	9.2	13.0	20	29	19	28	11.4	16.3	27	19
West South Central	3.46	6.63	3.20	5.11	3.93	5.79	3.88	3.85	5.63	5.68	23.70	29.70	55.20	64.90	82.10	95.10	8.8	12.3	9.3	13.2	20.8	28.7	19.6	27.5	11.6	16.4	26.7	19.0
Montana	3.70	7.50	3.55	5.80	5.30	6.80	3.95	4.20	6.40	6.20	33	42	47	50	44	53	9.1	12.1	13.0	15.7	23	34	21	31	11.2	17.3	28	17
Idaho	3.85	8.10	3.25	5.70	4.10	5.60	3.85	3.80	5.70	5.80	30	46	66	90	71	94	8.6	12.0	11.0	13.0	24	34	21	31	10.3	17.0	29	18
Wyoming	3.55	7.90	3.80	7.00	4.35	7.60	3.95	4.50	7.10	7.00	34	39	55	55	68	77	9.6	12.5	12.0	18.0	25	33	22	29	12.1	16.5	29	17
Colorado	3.70	8.40	3.80	6.90	5.10	7.70	3.85	3.60	7.40	7.60	28	39	57	67	70	82	8.9	12.0	11.0	15.0	23	31	21	28	11.0	17.0	27	15
New Mexico	3.60	8.00	3.40	5.50	4.25	6.50	3.50	2.25	6.10	5.20	30	37	46	50	60	65	8.7	10.5	11.0	12.0	23	30	21	27	12.6	20.0	24	15
Arizona	4.00	7.20	3.35	6.20	4.60	6.90	3.60	3.00	6.60	6.80	37	45	50	49	56	60	16.0	17.0	16.0	20.0	27	32	21	34	17.0	25.0	23	17
Utah	3.90	7.60	3.65	6.10	5.20	7.20	3.90	3.20	6.80	5.60	34	45	66	65	65	63	9.0	11.7	12.0	15.0	24	34	21	32	12.1	19.7	27	14
Nevada	4.40	7.70	4.30	7.40	5.40	7.40	3.80	4.00	7.90	7.00	34	50	59	70	75	70	14.4	17.0	15.0	21.0	25	36	24	32	14.9	22.0	26	15
Mountain	3.73	8.03	3.60	6.27	4.81	6.88	3.83	3.68	6.68	6.37	31.20	42.10	53.00	59.10	64.40	73.40	9.4	12.3	11.9	15.2	23.6	32.9	21.2	30.0	11.7	18.4	27.1	16.1
Washington	4.25	8.40	4.00	6.50	5.30	7.60	3.45	3.65	5.80	6.40	32	50	80	90	88	104	10.3	13.0	14.0	16.0	25	33	23	33	14.5	19.6	23	15
Oregon	4.20	8.40	4.00	6.80	5.30	7.40	3.65	3.65	6.60	6.30	28	47	71	91	75	100	10.4	13.5	14.0	17.0	25	33	22	32	12.0	17.1	26	16
California	4.45	8.90	4.40	7.70	5.60	7.90	3.60	4.40	8.20	7.90	42	64	60	96	67	98	13.3	17.9	15.0	19.0	24	32	24	35	14.0	20.9	25	15
Pacific	4.36	8.70	4.08	7.31	5.46	7.71	3.60	4.03	7.28	7.11	36.30	56.60	70.00	92.40	75.50	100.20	12.3	16.3	14.6	18.1	24.7	32.7	23.2	33.7	13.9	20.2	25.2	15.4
United States	3.88	8.10	3.79	6.55	4.95	6.97	3.66	3.83	6.79	6.67	33.00	44.80	74.60	88.30	88.20	105.30	10.7	14.2	12.2	15.7	22.7	28.9	23.5	31.2	14.4	18.6	26.9	17.4

Average Prices Received by Farmers for Farm Products, Mar. 15, 1935, with Comparisons—Continued

Date	Hogs, per 100 lb.	Beef cattle, per 100 lb.	Veal calves, per 100 lb.	Sheep, per 100 lb.	Lambs, per 100 lb.	Wool, per pound	Milk cows, per head	Horses, per head	Mules, per head	Hay, per ton			Clover seed, per bushel	Timothy seed, per bushel	Alfalfa seed, per bushel	Cottonseed, per ton	Soybeans, per bushel	Cowpeas, per bushel	Peanuts, per pound
										Clover and timothy mixed	Clover	Alfalfa							
	Dol.	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Cents*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Cents*
5-year average, August 1909 to July 1914	7.22	5.21	6.75	4.53	5.87	17.6	48	137	------	------	------	------	9.13	3.88	------	22.01	------	------	4.8
March average, 1910–14	7.41	5.29	6.92	4.79	6.22	18.7	49	144	------	------	------	------	9.64	------	------	22.78	------	------	4.8
1930, March 15	9.57	8.72	11.24	6.59	9.63	23.7	81	69	87	------	12.31	13.90	10.03	2.51	11.97	28.63	2.00	2.73	3.5
1931, March 15	6.92	5.98	7.66	4.24	6.84	15.9	56	61	72	------	12.45	11.29	11.54	3.58	9.91	22.43	1.42	1.82	3.7
1932, March 15	3.90	4.25	5.69	2.91	5.05	12.5	39	55	64	8.70	9.46	10.84	7.58	1.70	6.70	10.17	.66	.88	2.0
1933, March 15	3.22	3.42	4.57	2.18	4.27	8.9	31	58	66	7.12	7.43	6.34	4.95	1.01	5.93	9.22	.48	.62	1.5
1934, March 15	3.88	3.79	4.95	3.66	6.79	26.9	33	75	88	9.75	10.25	8.68	7.39	2.94	6.27	20.84	1.16	1.45	3.2
April 15	3.49	3.89	4.79	3.63	6.82	26.2	33	76	88	10.17	10.71	8.84	7.04	2.96	6.14	21.88	1.26	1.61	3.4
May 15	3.17	4.13	4.83	3.54	6.95	23.4	33	75	88	10.64	11.07	9.28	7.21	2.75	6.19	22.23	1.25	1.63	3.4
June 15	3.52	4.00	4.52	2.98	6.37	21.9	32	74	86	11.39	11.73	10.25	7.40	3.25	6.70	21.59	1.45	1.60	3.3
July 15	3.97	3.90	4.45	2.73	5.64	21.4	32	71	83	11.96	12.17	10.84	7.28	3.29	6.77	22.18	1.54	1.57	3.2
August 15	4.61	3.71	4.55	2.59	5.02	20.4	31	69	80	14.00	14.50	13.51	8.39	4.65	7.02	25.46	1.25	1.42	3.3
September 15	6.04	4.21	5.23	2.45	4.86	19.5	33	71	84	15.07	15.56	14.69	10.17	7.54	9.35	31.54	1.05	1.32	3.3
October 15	5.20	3.96	5.19	2.52	4.81	19.3	33	71	85	15.46	15.69	15.07	10.98	7.51	10.46	35.62	.95	1.26	3.2
November 15	5.04	3.81	4.97	2.55	4.84	19.2	33	72	87	15.62	15.78	15.28	10.98	7.37	10.27	37.08	.89	1.25	3.1
December 15	5.15	3.88	4.88	2.66	5.01	18.5	34	73	89	15.89	15.99	15.38	11.48	7.68	10.45	39.90	1.11	1.30	3.3
1935, January 15	6.87	5.06	5.84	3.30	6.21	18.8	36	78	94	16.01	16.30	15.31	11.89	7.86	10.83	40.27	1.19	1.37	3.5
February 15	7.10	5.95	6.47	3.78	6.65	18.1	40	84	102	15.96	16.34	15.19	12.56	8.26	11.25	40.81	1.26	1.47	4.1
March 15	8.10	6.55	6.97	3.83	6.67	17.4	45	88	105	15.48	16.02	14.99	12.41	8.38	11.53	40.08	1.20	1.53	4.4

Average Prices Received by Farmers for Farm Products, Mar. 15, 1934 and 1935, by States—Continued

State and division	Hay (loose), per ton: Alfalfa		Hay (loose), per ton: Clover		Hay (loose), per ton: Clover and Timothy mixed		Hay (loose), per ton: Prairie		Clover seed, per bushel		Timothy seed, per bushel		Alfalfa seed, per bushel	
	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935
	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.
Maine	14.10	20.60	10.60	14.30	11.00	14.20	8.00	10.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
N. H.	16.00	20.00	16.00	17.20	16.00	18.00	9.00	15.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
Vt.	19.00	20.00	17.00	17.30	16.50	16.90	10.00	11.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
Mass.	18.50	22.00	16.00	19.00	16.00	20.60	10.00	11.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
R. I.	22.00	24.00	16.60	20.00	17.50	21.00	12.00	15.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
Conn.	23.70	25.60	19.50	22.00	18.50	20.00	12.00	13.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
N. E.	19.03	21.89	15.22	17.25	15.05	17.21	----	11.92	----	----	----	----	----	----
N. Y.	12.50	18.10	10.00	16.90	10.40	16.10	8.00	10.00	9.90	18.00	----	----	----	----
N. J.	15.80	18.70	14.10	15.70	13.20	16.50	8.00	9.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
Pa.	13.80	17.30	10.80	16.50	9.90	15.00	9.00	14.00	9.80	14.80	3.35	9.90	----	----
M. A.	13.19	17.91	10.48	16.66	10.28	15.64	8.14	10.17	9.81	14.91	----	----	----	----
Ohio	9.90	15.90	8.60	14.30	8.20	14.60	----	7.50	8.00	12.50	2.90	8.90	----	13.10
Ind.	11.40	15.30	9.70	13.50	9.20	13.40	5.70	10.00	7.60	12.40	3.20	9.40	----	13.50
Ill.	12.40	18.90	10.90	15.70	9.30	16.10	6.20	11.30	7.60	13.00	3.15	8.30	----	----
Mich.	10.00	19.00	9.00	17.00	8.50	17.30	7.00	10.20	6.70	13.50	----	----	6.70	14.80
Wis.	13.20	23.00	11.90	21.00	11.10	19.80	6.60	13.70	7.30	11.80	3.15	8.50	8.40	14.50
E. N. C.	11.40	18.91	10.14	16.18	9.38	16.12	6.59	13.13	7.42	12.54	3.09	8.83	7.45	14.15
Minn.	9.70	21.00	8.10	18.30	8.10	17.30	5.90	14.30	7.50	12.50	2.60	7.70	7.50	13.50
Iowa	9.50	20.00	7.70	19.60	6.80	17.90	5.80	14.80	7.40	14.00	2.90	8.40	----	15.00
Mo.	10.80	20.70	9.90	19.00	9.00	17.80	5.90	15.80	7.20	13.00	2.90	7.70	----	----
N. Dak.	9.10	20.00	6.50	----	6.50	----	6.10	14.40	7.50	12.00	2.45	7.10	9.00	14.10
S. Dak.	8.90	20.10	8.50	----	8.00	----	6.70	16.00	----	----	----	----	8.00	15.60
Nebr.	6.00	18.40	5.90	17.80	5.80	17.40	4.60	15.60	7.80	12.00	----	----	6.60	10.80
Kans.	8.20	19.50	6.10	16.00	5.70	14.00	4.10	12.60	7.00	14.70	----	----	5.30	9.50
W. N. C.	8.29	19.71	8.29	19.05	7.62	17.68	5.44	14.79	7.43	12.88	2.87	7.98	6.47	11.45
Del.	14.90	16.50	12.70	13.50	12.00	13.40	----	10.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
Md.	13.50	15.40	12.60	13.80	11.50	12.60	----	11.00	9.40	13.40	----	----	----	----
Va.	14.00	19.00	12.30	16.50	11.20	15.50	8.50	11.00	9.00	14.00	----	----	----	----
W. Va.	13.60	17.50	12.00	16.50	11.10	16.20	7.30	9.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
N. C.	19.50	20.60	16.50	17.00	16.50	18.80	10.00	9.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
S. C.	----	23.60	----	----	----	----	11.00	11.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
Ga.	18.00	21.00	----	----	----	----	9.00	10.60	----	----	----	----	----	----
Fla.	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	12.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
S. A.	14.32	17.72	12.48	15.48	11.51	14.77	9.58	9.96	9.30	13.44	----	----	----	----
Ky.	11.90	15.00	10.10	12.00	9.70	12.50	8.00	10.00	6.60	12.00	----	----	----	----
Tenn.	12.90	16.50	11.50	15.20	11.80	14.30	7.70	11.60	6.50	12.00	----	----	----	----
Ala.	18.10	18.00	----	15.50	----	----	8.10	11.30	----	----	----	----	----	----
Miss.	17.00	22.00	13.00	16.00	----	----	8.60	9.50	----	----	----	----	----	----
E. S. C.	12.78	16.32	10.64	13.25	10.51	13.08	7.95	10.65	6.53	12.00	----	----	----	----
Ark.	14.60	21.80	12.00	19.20	11.00	17.90	7.60	14.10	----	----	----	----	----	----
La.	13.00	22.00	11.00	----	8.80	----	6.70	9.60	----	----	----	----	----	----
Okla.	10.70	16.60	7.90	13.00	7.00	14.90	5.50	11.20	----	----	----	----	5.40	6.80
Tex.	14.10	22.50	----	----	----	----	7.80	11.60	----	----	----	----	7.20	11.00
W. S. C.	12.35	19.11	11.54	18.17	10.56	17.25	6.65	11.85	----	----	----	----	5.63	7.52
Mont.	6.30	10.90	5.30	11.00	5.30	10.90	6.10	12.40	----	----	----	----	7.20	12.10
Idaho	5.40	8.50	5.20	7.60	6.20	8.80	3.00	6.50	6.00	11.10	----	----	6.60	14.70
Wyo.	7.50	11.00	7.20	11.00	7.20	10.70	7.10	13.00	8.00	13.00	----	----	7.40	14.10
Colo.	5.60	12.70	5.60	11.50	5.10	11.50	5.20	12.50	7.00	10.00	----	----	6.00	11.00
N. Mex.	9.00	21.00	7.00	11.00	7.00	11.00	6.00	12.00	----	----	----	----	5.50	8.00
Ariz.	7.40	17.00	----	----	----	----	5.00	10.00	----	----	----	----	3.90	8.40
Utah	6.60	11.50	7.10	12.70	7.10	13.00	5.00	8.70	----	----	----	----	6.00	9.20
Nev.	5.30	8.80	6.50	9.00	6.50	9.00	4.70	7.50	----	----	----	----	----	----
Mount.	6.19	11.19	5.77	10.32	5.90	10.58	5.56	11.42	6.17	11.40	----	----	6.14	11.39
Wash.	9.80	9.30	10.50	9.00	10.50	9.00	7.50	7.00	----	----	----	----	----	----
Oreg.	7.90	8.50	8.80	7.50	8.80	7.30	6.90	7.00	7.10	10.20	----	----	7.30	13.80
Calif.	8.40	9.70	8.50	10.00	8.00	9.00	5.80	6.60	----	----	----	----	1.80	9.30
Pac.	8.52	9.16	9.66	8.50	9.61	8.32	6.66	6.90	----	----	----	----	5.04	10.18
U. S.	8.68	11.99	10.25	16.02	9.75	15.48	5.77	12.87	7.39	12.41	2.94	8.38	6.27	11.53

Supplementary Meat Inspection Report, January 1935

Inspection of lard at all establishments, 84,913,293 inspection pounds; compound and other substitutes, 45,630,184 inspection pounds; sausage, 62,085,987 inspection pounds.

Corresponding inspections for January 1934: Lard, 180,297,739 inspection pounds; compound and other substitutes, 27,240,776 inspection pounds; sausage, 61,469,981 inspection pounds.

(These totals of inspection pounds do not represent actual production, as the same product may have been inspected and recorded more than once in the process of manufacture.)

Livestock–Meats–Wool

Animals Slaughtered Under Federal Meat Inspection, March 1935

Station	Cattle	Calves	Sheep and lambs	Goats	Swine
Baltimore	10,497	(1)	(1)	----	33,654
Buffalo	6,547	4,066	4,858	----	29,468
Chicago	114,834	39,035	281,272	----	279,807
Cincinnati	12,260	8,294	3,127	----	39,516
Cleveland	5,876	(1)	(1)	----	22,940
Denver	8,335	3,405	(1)	----	19,703
Detroit	7,254	6,136	8,977	----	36,774
Fort Worth	18,211	17,755	19,916	----	43,055
Kansas City	43,834	27,980	106,391	----	103,830
Milwaukee	19,799	55,472	(1)	----	51,072
National Stock Yards	36,860	30,034	47,614	----	161,019
New York	25,430	52,493	199,118	----	(1)
Omaha	52,105	8,151	113,671	----	70,027
Philadelphia	6,688	9,029	11,846	----	49,086
Sioux City	28,468	1,213	87,709	----	44,403
South St. Paul	49,871	48,536	40,238	----	73,930
All other stations	243,926	158,203	449,366	472	1,090,793
Total:					
March 1935	690,796	472,802	1,374,103	472	2,158,326
March 1934	771,241	534,179	1,242,450	1,660	3,039,024
9 months ended March 1935	10,709,634	5,592,328	13,698,044	95,986	27,944,584
9 months ended March 1934	7,107,727	3,915,982	12,762,346	5,764	34,380,724

[1] Included in "All other stations."

Horses slaughtered:

March 1935	1,160
March 1934	1,084
9 months ended March 1935	15,334
9 months ended March 1934	31,147

Supplementary Meat Inspection Report, February 1935

Inspection of lard at all establishments, 70,628,453 inspection pounds; compound and other substitutes, 37,353,982 inspection pounds; sausage, 56,245,157 inspection pounds.

Corresponding inspections for February 1934: Lard, 120,564,054 inspection pounds; compound and other substitutes, 25,692,800 inspection pounds; sausage, 54,023,691 inspection pounds.

(These totals of inspection pounds do not represent actual production, as the same product may have been inspected and recorded more than once in the process of manufacture.)

Weights and Prices of Stocker and Feeder Steers at Chicago, Kansas City, and South St. Paul

March 1935, with Comparisons

Weight range	Number of head			Percent of total by weight ranges			Average weight (pounds)			Average price per 100 pounds		
	Mar. 1935	Feb. 1935	Mar. 1934	Mar. 1935	Feb. 1935	Mar. 1934	Mar. 1935	Feb. 1935	Mar. 1934	Mar. 1935	Feb. 1935	Mar. 1934
Chicago												
1,001 lb. up	----	59	33	----	1.5	1.1	----	1,041	1,090	----	$9.09	$4.97
901–1,000 lb.	151	200	160	4.1	5.3	5.6	923	955	932	$8.28	8.54	5.31
801–900 lb.	379	701	403	10.7	18.5	14.2	839	855	841	8.14	7.26	5.34
701–800 lb.	890	1,039	455	25.7	27.4	16.0	750	749	746	7.67	6.31	4.46
501–700 lb.	2,015	1,795	1,795	59.2	47.3	63.1	606	619	594	7.15	6.50	4.69
Total	3,456	3,797	2,846	100.0	100.0	100.0	682	722	678	7.50	6.81	4.81
Kansas City												
1,001 lb. up	32	187	148	0.2	0.9	1.2	1,049	1,041	1,084	9.45	8.50	5.13
901–1,000 lb.	199	593	600	1.2	3.0	5.0	949	930	926	8.19	6.87	4.92
801–900 lb.	1,400	2,692	1,216	8.6	13.5	10.1	841	840	850	7.53	7.20	4.72
701–800 lb.	3,626	4,617	2,359	22.2	23.1	19.6	742	745	743	7.41	7.03	4.33
501–700 lb.	11,067	11,908	7,700	67.8	59.5	64.1	595	597	601	7.11	6.64	4.52
Total	16,324	19,997	12,023	100.0	100.0	100.0	654	678	676	7.28	6.86	4.55
South St. Paul												
1,001 lb. up	57	10	----	2.3	0.3	----	1,012	1,019	----	9.56	8.25	----
901–1,000 lb.	101	10	74	4.1	0.3	3.1	928	903	947	6.67	6.75	4.21
801–900 lb.	120	181	271	4.7	6.2	11.2	825	851	848	6.59	6.30	4.00
701–800 lb.	620	1,041	391	24.5	35.4	16.1	732	741	755	6.79	6.12	3.94
501–700 lb.	1,633	1,697	1,686	64.4	57.8	69.6	606	618	611	6.57	5.97	3.96
Total	2,534	2,939	2,422	100.0	100.0	100.0	670	680	671	6.73	6.09	3.97

Beef Steers Sold Out of First Hands at Chicago for Slaughter

March 1935 with Comparisons

Grade	Number of head			Percent of total by grades			Average weight (pounds)			Average price per 100 pounds		
	Mar. 1935	Feb. 1935	Mar. 1934	Mar. 1935	Feb. 1935	Mar. 1934	Feb. 1935	Mar. 1935	Feb. 1934	Mar. 1935	Feb. 1935	Mar. 1934
Choice and Prime	3,936	5,209	17,232	8.3	10.8	20.9	1,208	1,196	1,259	$13.45	$13.22	$6.86
Good	22,811	24,523	31,314	48.2	51.0	38.1	1,070	1,079	1,203	11.43	11.11	5.97
Medium	16,742	14,833	24,771	35.3	30.9	30.1	917	934	986	9.48	8.85	5.37
Common	3,875	3,487	8,991	8.2	7.3	10.9	796	788	806	7.82	6.69	4.57
Total	47,364	48,052	82,308	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,005	1,026	1,106	10.77	10.49	5.91

Classification of Livestock Slaughtered in the United States [1]

Month	Cattle			Swine			Sheep and lambs	
	Steers	Cows and heifers	Bulls and stags	Barrows	Sows	Stags and boars	Lambs and yearlings	Sheep
1934	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*
January	54.43	42.59	2.98	52.01	47.65	0.34	95.64	4.36
February	53.47	44.05	2.48	48.85	50.67	.48	95.36	4.64
March	52.98	43.79	3.23	48.49	50.83	.68	96.51	3.49
April	54.95	41.64	3.41	48.20	51.14	.66	96.24	3.76
May	49.53	46.74	3.73	47.79	51.41	.80	92.93	7.07
June [2]	48.55	47.63	3.82	44.40	54.85	.75	95.53	4.47
July [2]	44.47	51.89	3.64	39.70	59.55	.75	95.76	4.24
August [2]	49.03	47.13	3.84	36.82	62.39	.79	94.21	5.79
September [2]	46.62	49.51	3.87	41.08	58.10	.82	94.03	5.97
October [2]	42.03	54.34	3.63	45.47	53.86	.67	94.55	5.45
November [2]	38.78	57.82	3.40	49.28	50.23	.49	95.66	4.34
December [2]	43.20	53.78	3.02	50.75	48.75	.50	96.55	3.45
Average [2]	47.89	48.67	3.44	46.58	52.79	.63	95.17	4.83
1935								
January	45.28	51.42	3.30	50.62	48.69	.69	94.66	5.34
February	39.74	56.29	3.97	51.22	48.00	.78	96.16	3.84

[1] Based on reports from about 500 packers and slaughterers whose slaughterings equaled nearly 75 percent of total slaughtered under Federal inspection.
[2] As far as can be ascertained at this time, there are no "drought-stricken cattle or calves purchased for Federal Surplus Relief Corporation" included in the material from which these percentages were derived.

Sources of Livestock Slaughtered in the United States [1]

Month	Cattle		Calves		Swine		Sheep and lambs	
	Purchased in public stockyards	Other sources	Purchased in public stockyards	Other sources	Purchased in public stockyards	Other sources	Purchased in public stockyards	Other sources
1934	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*	*Pct.*
January	83.29	16.71	71.21	28.79	58.27	41.73	74.43	25.57
February	84.42	15.58	74.04	25.96	57.68	42.32	79.07	20.93
March	81.36	18.64	72.18	27.82	58.24	41.76	78.83	21.17
April	82.16	17.84	71.89	28.11	59.31	40.69	81.76	18.24
May	82.60	17.40	71.90	28.10	59.54	40.46	78.71	21.29
June [2]	81.03	18.97	69.72	30.28	57.69	42.31	78.55	21.45
July [2]	79.86	20.14	68.65	31.35	59.49	40.51	76.74	23.26
August [2]	83.48	16.52	73.41	26.59	61.59	38.41	78.08	21.92
September [2]	82.32	17.68	74.55	25.45	59.84	40.16	75.14	24.86
October [2]	83.02	16.98	74.14	25.86	60.20	39.80	69.27	30.73
November [2]	83.56	16.44	76.41	23.59	58.39	41.61	76.00	24.00
December [2]	80.83	19.17	70.96	29.04	54.76	45.24	72.34	27.66
Average [2]	82.36	17.64	72.42	27.58	58.60	41.40	76.41	23.59
1935								
January	78.14	21.86	72.30	27.70	54.47	45.53	75.26	24.74
February	82.28	17.72	77.28	22.72	53.33	46.67	80.63	19.37

[1] Based on reports from about 500 packers and slaughterers whose slaughterings equaled nearly 75 percent of total slaughtered under Federal inspection.
[2] As far as can be ascertained at this time, there are no "drought-stricken cattle or calves purchased for Federal Surplus Relief Corporation" included in the material from which these percentages were derived.

Average Weight and Cost [1] of Hogs

[Computed on packer and shipper purchases]

	March 1935		February 1935		March 1934		Calendar year 1934	
	Wt.	Cost	Wt.	Cost	Wt.	Cost	Wt.	Cost
	Lb.	*Per 100 lb.*	*Lb.*	*Per 100 lb.*	*Lb.*	*Per 100 lb.*	*Lb.*	*Per 100 lb.*
Chicago	238	$9.09	227	$8.35	235	$4.31	230	$4.65
Denver	219	8.95	214	8.07	228	3.90	222	4.39
East St. Louis	209	8.95	211	8.26	207	4.20	210	4.67
Fort Worth	197	8.32	208	7.58	210	4.09	211	4.74
Kansas City	227	8.89	221	8.12	230	3.93	217	4.39
Omaha	225	8.83	215	7.87	251	3.75	237	4.09
Sioux City	228	8.83	217	7.88	242	3.78	234	4.05
South St. Joseph	223	8.96	218	8.10	240	3.88	222	4.39
South St. Paul	213	9.00	209	7.91	214	3.88	213	4.17
Wichita	233	8.82	230	7.97	225	3.85	218	4.34

[1] Exlcuding processing tax.

Monthly Meat Supplies at 3 Eastern Markets, March [1]

	Boston		New York		Philadelphia	
	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934
RECEIPTS						
Western dressed meats:						
Steers, carcasses	7,535	10,951	27,417	33,222	7,219	7,856
Cows, do	6,700	7,106	4,094½	2,714	6,305	3,700
Bulls, do	119	111	1,030¾	844	1,282	1,330
Veal and calf, do	2,485	4,288	49,805	49,437	7,452	7,621
Hogs, do	137	351	698	183		
Lambs, do	64,313	62,557	153,133	131,619	50,241	34,927
Mutton, do	2,391	1,733	4,620	6,516	2,548	1,023
Goats, do	6	1	1			
Beef cuts, pounds	55,176	115,557	2,549,544	1,465,987		
Veal and calf, do			115,078	38,020		
Pork cuts, do	952,949	1,047,188	6,509,302	8,701,613	1,764,354	1,437,545
Lamb cuts, do			14,000	38,303		
Mutton cuts, do			2,398	15,062		
LOCAL SLAUGHTER						
Federal and city inspection: [2]						
Cattle, carcasses			30,433	36,402	8,548	6,915
Veal and calf, do			78,161	78,463	13,869	13,096
Hogs, do			130,172	161,917	48,915	59,800
Sheep and lambs, do			215,453	196,394	21,552	18,736
Goats, do			780	2,412		

[1] Mar. 4–30, 1935; Mar. 5–31, 1934.
[2] Includes city inspection and receipt of country-dressed meats. Boston reports on local slaughter not available for publication.

Wool: Monthly Average Prices at Boston

March 1935 Compared with Corresponding Month 1934

[In cents per pound]

Grade	Graded Ohio and similar				Graded territory, scoured basis	
	Grease basis		Scoured basis			
	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934
64's, 70's, 80's (Fine):						
Strictly Combing	26.5	35.5	66.5	87.5	66.0	87.0
French Combing	21.5	30.5	59.5	78.0	64.0	83.0
Clothing	20.5	28.5	56.0	73.5	59.0	80.0
58's, 60's (½ Blood):						
Strictly Combing	27.3	36.2	61.1	80.0	64.0	83.5
French Combing	23.5	33.5	56.0	75.0	62.0	80.0
Clothing	21.5	31.5	52.0	71.0	58.0	77.0
56's (⅜ Blood):						
Strictly Combing	26.4	42.5	51.0	79.5	56.0	81.5
Clothing	24.0	37.5	47.0	70.0	51.5	76.0
48's, 50's (¼ Blood):						
Strictly Combing	23.7	40.4	42.0	69.6	51.0	73.0
Clothing	21.5	35.5	37.5	61.5	46.5	69.0
46's (Low ¼ Blood):						
Strictly Combing	21.2	36.5	37.0	60.0	41.0	63.5
36's, 40's, 44's (Common and Braid)	20.5	30.5	35.5	52.0	39.0	54.5

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Market	Cattle (excluding calves)								Calves							
	Receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments		Receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments	
	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1931	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934
Atlanta, Ga.	1,752	1,016	1,279	725			473	183	70	2	14	3			72	
Baltimore, Md.	14,810	7,498	11,825	6,084	383	23	2,985	1,414	6,961	6,504	6,006	4,790			955	1,714
Birmingham, Ala.	450	225	439	192	1	11	1	11	96	64	84	64				
Boston, Mass.	4,927	2,950	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	8,970	8,634	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Buffalo, N. Y.	14,955	12,563	10,761	8,367	107	12	3,140	4,421	21,854	26,515	5,169	7,216			16,637	19,283
Chattanooga, Tenn.	3,093	2,032	2,879	1,969	214	63	214	63								
Cheyenne, Wyo.	176	241					176	241								
Chicago, Ill.	133,381	165,320	104,243	119,522	4,983	5,138	29,138	45,798	38,452	50,375	33,122	17,794			5,330	2,581
Cincinnati, Ohio	16,958	17,546	13,883	15,861	230	220	3,075	1,685	9,759	12,803	7,025	5,936			2,731	6,367
Cleveland, Ohio	8,372	6,956	7,673	6,826			699	130	8,385	11,873	8,218	11,752			167	121
Dallas, Tex.	980	1,331	758	1,291			218		1,807	1,142	1,419	1,013			352	
Dayton, Ohio	1,836	1,495	1,738	1,495			98		800	638	800	638				
Denver, Colo.	21,555	24,051	11,892	10,740	6,661	8,963	12,072	15,118	5,234	4,805	4,003	2,672	1,141	2,654	1,238	2,733
Detroit, Mich.	13,284	10,325	12,198	10,111	82		786	214	13,037	16,302	9,671	10,924			3,366	5,378
East St. Louis, Ill.	49,535	46,032	28,816	20,865	4,111	1,939	21,016	25,167	35,084	39,740	19,505	24,199	2		15,579	15,541
El Paso, Tex.	23,169	5,597	4,327	1,594	17,055	2,681	18,842	4,003	6,026	905	116	210	2,529	60	5,910	695
Evansville, Ind.	3,542	2,952	3,203	2,510	190	131	383	424	3,826	4,376	3,644	4,003	181	212	181	307
Fort Worth, Tex.	35,361	32,114	14,938	17,880	11,183	8,008	16,520	12,809	20,916	13,079	13,409	8,589	4,462	3,386	11,149	5,731
Indianapolis, Ind.	23,037	20,268	13,129	14,757	1,917	1,174	10,254	5,512	13,055	16,495	4,564	5,355	98		8,491	11,110
Jacksonville, Fla.	1,332	161	946	345	140	62	222	186	117	46	68	27	47	16	47	16
Jersey City, N. J.	17,346	16,518	17,256	16,518			90		34,094	35,370	33,441	35,370			653	
Joplin, Mo.	4,203	3,385	1,791	449	647	563	2,412	2,936	5,000	7,998	304	340	431	318	4,696	7,658
Kansas City, Mo.	96,698	95,423	37,980	56,709	35,265	24,051	48,884	38,401	20,858	20,365	16,037	18,521	5,559	3,001	6,286	3,509
Knoxville, Tenn.	3,254	1,787	2,153	1,272		515	1,101	515	865	867	865	867				
LaFayette, Ind.	585	480	254	293	105	34	323	209	1,168	1,324	61	130	33	28	1,086	1,182
Lancaster, Pa.	14,367	8,631	67	65	2,619	1,402	14,300	8,566	3,367	3,594	48	75			3,319	3,519
Laredo, Tex.	391	215		28	391	187	391	187	571				571		571	
Los Angeles, Calif.	23,144	19,072	21,917	18,680	1,754	730	1,754	730	6,294	3,959	5,165	3,610	948	83	948	83
Louisville, Ky.	8,605	5,351	6,827	3,239	3,376	1,603	1,778	2,112	8,232	9,327	4,309	3,638			3,923	5,689
Marion, Ohio	512	192	32	12	84	34	453	179	152	214	1	1	3	4	152	212
Memphis, Tenn.	10,451	5,546	9,220	5,078	159	297	1,671	533	5,480	2,049	4,801	1,912	41	103	369	370
Milwaukee, Wis.	17,157	14,016	15,395	12,585	223	177	1,758	1,424	46,484	57,699	46,471	57,698	12		12	1
Montgomery, Ala.	6,683	1,835	2,767	1,170	1,638	273	4,171	656	2,615	478	1,426	152	9	60	1,223	326
Moultrie, Ga.	702	616	608	465	158	36	158	211								
Nashville, Tenn.	8,616	3,500	2,126	2,278	2,816	682	6,190	1,222	4,987	4,131	2,362	1,436			2,625	2,695
Newark, N. J.	1,136	1,825	1,551	1,688	60	75	60	75	1,225	1,269	1,225	1,269				
New Orleans, La.	3,724	2,047	2,301	1,302	187	539	1,413	747	4,531	3,749	4,651	3,531		184		184
New York, N. Y.	2,151	2,981	2,151	2,981					11,326	15,006	11,326	15,006				
North Salt Lake, Utah	8,292	5,673	851	1,499	2,000	1,000	7,636	4,320	8	17	8	17				
Ogden, Utah	8,363	11,074	1,159	895	2,524	1,724	7,159	10,119	584	394	119	104	391	169	483	273
Oklahoma City, Okla.	37,084	29,660	18,340	19,416	11,146	6,324	19,934	10,638	9,891	4,006	7,721	3,775	163	234	2,639	241
Omaha, Nebr.	80,852	124,657	51,014	74,534	13,630	14,298	29,838	50,741	8,745	7,572	6,540	6,272	2,205	1,235	2,205	1,235
Pasco, Wash.	745	534					745	438	14	17					14	13
Peoria, Ill.	5,676	5,295	1,190	895	1,125	629	4,444	4,467	4,361	5,729	1,074	889	32	95	3,271	4,901
Philadelphia, Pa.	3,164	3,784	3,164	3,552				232	5,493	7,321	5,395	7,028			98	293
Pittsburgh, Pa.	19,140	20,757	6,509	4,557			12,631	16,200	30,340	27,867	6,957	5,606			23,383	22,261
Portland, Oreg.	8,719	9,982	5,569	6,959	570	236	3,127	3,034	808	1,158	631	1,073			174	85
Pueblo, Colo.	681	2,682		3	530	1,137	681	2,048		148				148		148
Richmond, Va.	1,429	992	1,349	907	14	26	80	85	1,027	973	1,027	877				96
St. Joseph, Mo.	23,813	34,863	19,351	27,317	3,147	4,758	5,125	7,887	7,241	8,742	6,728	8,228	373	391	576	559
San Antonio, Tex.	14,519	5,132	2,640	3,092	814	496	8,839	1,947	10,756	4,492	3,177	2,025	1,139	63	7,408	2,459
Seattle, Wash.	3,313	3,511	3,138	3,482			175	29	91	200	91	200				
Sioux City, Iowa	48,901	60,075	29,588	41,086	10,810	9,638	19,313	18,989	3,476	3,257	1,879	1,401	1,336	1,856	1,597	1,856
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	7,783	10,427	2,537	4,456	1,639	1,717	5,342	5,781	1,082	1,662	180	106	662	1,267	933	1,683
South St. Paul, Minn.	58,431	55,397	43,837	43,776	6,360	6,006	14,636	11,633	41,108	58,645	41,258	58,907	516	857	667	1,178
South San Francisco, Calif.	5,730	7,709	3,608	4,138			2,121	3,514	664	1,555	563	1,457			101	97
Spokane, Wash.	6,095	4,868	3,021	2,070	1,614	1,147	3,077	2,392	748	215	357	135	167	37	172	67
Springfield, Ill.	428	305	243	180	52	63	212	152	728	669	176	495	20	16	583	223
Springfield, Mo.	2,382	1,811	346	395	812	157	2,036	1,506	7,780	6,391	211	130	360	35	7,569	6,261
Stockton, Calif.	5,393	2,268			386	41	5,386	2,220	647	1,215			12	6	686	1,212
Toledo, Ohio	994	872	621	686	54		330	290	275	166	212	166			63	
Wichita, Kans.	30,789	22,551	8,732	8,221	10,715	9,715	20,668	13,451	7,560	6,203	4,385	3,481	4,313	3,584	5,406	4,171
Total	975,249	969,272	576,730	618,056	164,681	118,770	380,754	348,228	495,125	530,311	338,022	381,086	27,756	20,103	156,099	146,841
Increase or decrease	+5,977		−41,326		+45,911		+32,526		−35,186		−43,064		+7,653		+9,258	
Percentage	+0.6		−6.7		+38.7		+9.3		−6.6		−11.3		+38.1		+6.3	
Total for 3 months ended with March[2]	3,241,688	3,072,320	1,944,607	1,983,879	497,735	347,345	1,235,530	1,051,796	1,508,902	1,487,960	1,055,282	1,066,476	81,971	77,965	460,064	421,538
Increase or decrease	+168,768		−39,272		+150,390		+183,734		+20,942		−11,194		+7,006		+38,526	
Percentage	+5.2		−2.0		+43.3		+17.5		+1.4		−1.0		+9.0		+9.1	
March average, 5 years, 1930-34	937,358		565,033		123,009		361,633		488,624		315,167		20,522		138,862	
Increase or decrease	+37,891		+11,697		+41,672		+19,121		+6,501		−7,145		+7,234		+17,237	
Percentage	+4.0		+2.1		+33.9		+5.3		+1.3		−2.1		+35.2		+12.4	
Drive-ins	544,919	526,275							282,623	295,931						
Percent of total receipts	55.9	54.3							57.1	55.8						

[1] Disposition of stock not reported.
[2] Accumulations for 1935 include cattle and calves purchased for Federal Surplus Relief Corporation from Jan. 1 to Feb. 7.

NOTE.—This report represents the total livestock movements at the specified stockyards, including through shipments. Direct shipments to packers are included only when such shipments pass through the stockyards.

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Market	Hogs								Sheep and lambs							
	Receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments		Receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments	
	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934	1935	1934
Atlanta, Ga	1,603	1,798	821	429			768	1,365		45		59				21
Baltimore, Md	49,228	78,653	36,088	65,119			13,140	13,534	10,258	9,396	8,566	6,157		75	1,692	3,239
Birmingham, Ala	1,139	398	745	106	130	290	454	290	1		1					
Boston, Mass	2,233	1,534	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	258	332	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Buffalo, N. Y	23,718	58,482	12,684	36,737	99	446	9,831	24,560	42,076	46,779	11,297	10,496	7	27	30,544	36,478
Chattanooga, Tenn	2,722	4,891	2,722	4,891					49		49					
Cheyenne, Wyo	3,532	12,464					3,532	12,464								
Chicago, Ill	274,720	460,888	242,669	405,921	122		32,051	54,967	328,600	264,974	230,923	201,141	20,811	910	97,677	63,833
Cincinnati, Ohio	57,202	84,802	38,205	54,912	15	13	18,997	29,890	3,801	5,759	3,081	5,411			720	348
Cleveland, Ohio	17,549	27,333	13,613	23,129			3,936	4,204	33,963	24,384	17,550	13,059			16,413	11,325
Dallas, Tex	8,886	6,080	8,895	5,611			771	338	215	479	214	452				
Dayton, Ohio	4,506	2,786	1,514	1,473			2,992	1,313	200	160	200	160				
Denver, Colo	33,888	46,649	20,919	24,752	605	581	13,546	22,798	206,536	197,677	21,654	10,990	1,953	14,168	186,312	189,862
Detroit, Mich	10,129	19,609	9,699	16,080			430	3,529	17,739	18,366	11,156	11,798			6,583	6,568
East St. Louis, Ill	190,808	202,216	90,708	75,239	1,692	3,049	101,458	126,977	54,480	41,035	50,779	36,075	196		3,184	4,960
El Paso, Tex	4,433	2,765	1,636	1,816	160		2,797	949	6,089	22,753	279	819	1,508	9,643	5,810	21,934
Evansville, Ind	23,702	20,783	21,175	16,208	187	316	2,535	4,573	2,230	954	2,208	953	2		2	
Fort Worth, Tex	35,591	37,830	32,579	36,434	1,397	1,003	2,979	1,396	25,953	29,093	18,297	17,457	5,149	8,460	7,662	11,629
Indianapolis, Ind	106,278	120,107	45,690	55,208	685	540	60,668	66,267	27,280	15,425	9,180	9,155	1,275	791	18,100	6,270
Jacksonville, Fla	637	1,324	664	1,124			81	144	9	142		166	9	25	9	25
Jersey City, N. J	17,244	15,870	16,889	15,870			355		129,156	100,834	126,929	100,834			2,227	
Joplin, Mo	6,421	8,621	1,603	2,381	1,385	1,082	4,813	6,240	325	157	6	3	58	43	319	154
Kansas City, Mo	45,062	74,896	40,638	60,874	2,740	3,120	5,001	15,586	134,872	142,900	75,977	109,388	25,229	15,577	45,883	35,444
Knoxville, Tenn	1,765	2,120	1,765	2,120					5	2	5	2				
LaFayette, Ind	6,949	8,805	3,935	3,361	23	137	2,892	5,338	2,506	258	16	48	8		2,494	213
Lancaster, Pa	4,857	10,227	61	1,070			4,796	9,157	3,459	1,713	585	166			2,874	1,547
Laredo, Tex		433		433						584		584				
Los Angeles, Calif	2,784	2,715	2,820	2,715	15		15		15,898	5,534	17,534	5,532	446		446	
Louisville, Ky	14,164	21,606	6,700	18,264	223	12	7,464	3,342	1,643	1,005	889	668	276	264	754	337
Marion, Ohio	2,942	2,639	48	25	1,090	712	2,848	2,692	1,625	1,083	124	83	170	103	1,581	968
Memphis, Tenn	11,836	11,830	8,331	10,717	727	514	3,330	858	397	30	37	27			422	
Milwaukee, Wis	26,249	30,636	26,024	28,333	225	49	225	2,287	6,036	3,241	6,056	3,229		15		15
Montgomery, Ala	6,707	673	662	613	156		6,045	150	10	638	6	38	4		4	430
Moultrie, Ga	4,215	2,571	3,357	1,903	210	194	989	672								
Nashville, Tenn	6,946	5,828	2,933	3,428			4,013	2,400	958	1,023	809	568			149	455
Newark, N. J	24,479	25,424	23,921	25,116					5,627	4,674	5,627	4,674				
New Orleans, La	2,594	1,704	1,842	1,669	99	163	534	163	10	4		3		1	8	1
New York, N. Y	34,014	49,258	34,014	49,258					10,662	20,217	10,662	20,217				
North Salt Lake, Utah	37,423	35,345	2,589	3,613	500		34,961	32,008	23,900	14,783	895	1,263	2,000	500	24,026	15,232
Ogden, Utah	13,348	33,908	4,275	3,115	73	81	9,552	31,846	35,858	12,766	525	839	3,021	1,982	34,369	11,936
Oklahoma City, Okla	29,443	31,923	26,503	28,128	2,312	1,363	3,069	4,040	14,187	4,911	9,667	4,713	1,600	188	4,095	192
Omaha, Nebr	91,382	198,282	62,480	141,208	705	1,839	28,902	57,730	148,077	153,668	99,306	120,688	16,512	10,609	48,771	34,711
Pasco, Wash	1,626	1,497					1,626	1,657	29						29	
Peoria, Ill	29,853	68,956	5,232	6,929	305	1,103	24,649	62,667	5,458	695	218	7	75	107	5,258	741
Philadelphia, Pa	22,332	28,024	21,830	27,587			502	437	14,377	14,539	14,377	14,539				
Pittsburgh, Pa	42,707	46,692	32,997	28,654			9,710	18,038	100,764	85,885	9,003	6,898			91,761	78,987
Portland, Oreg	11,303	16,693	8,466	10,216	666	1,714	2,837	6,369	26,085	13,589	9,153	8,331	299	756	16,920	5,258
Pueblo, Colo	486	2,675		1			486	2,674	7,525	19,883	3	36	2,083	1,921	8,473	22,375
Richmond, Va	11,492	13,719	11,339	13,660	153	59	153	59	204	231	201	221	3	10	3	10
St. Joseph, Mo	48,669	95,148	46,632	91,324	1,557	1,194	2,656	3,812	125,291	115,071	93,033	94,459	21,463	6,857	32,285	20,881
San Antonio, Tex	3,765	3,703	3,166	2,837	369	446	598	879	5,491	2,878	1,922	453	423	63	3,569	2,425
Seattle, Wash	4,986	8,622	4,976	7,874	10	204	10	748	3,654	3,497	3,414	3,497			240	
Sioux City, Iowa	68,667	169,375	41,746	116,450	4,537	7,432	26,921	52,925	114,187	80,557	76,557	68,023	21,066	5,375	37,630	12,534
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	14,895	29,240	11,598	16,224	32	108	3,391	14,117	13,941	6,478	1,575	1,466	3,105	639	12,884	5,669
South St. Paul, Minn	63,102	137,418	52,349	84,219	5,077	6,716	12,188	56,518	59,529	42,172	35,063	33,136	7,776	1,111	24,838	9,071
So. San Francisco, Calif	12,852	15,943	12,025	12,706			827	3,242	15,532	18,670	11,966	12,731			4,643	6,056
Spokane, Wash	1,880	6,156	1,341	1,932	190	465	469	4,186	781	521	610	389	112	86	112	86
Springfield, Ill	11,820	15,347	996	1,144	242	423	11,150	14,619	42	31		5			42	31
Springfield, Mo	6,699	9,889	1,513	1,014	1,316	511	5,186	8,875	237	263		25			237	238
Stockton, Calif	991	2,505			14	3	984	2,505	1,132	1,794			5		1,198	1,790
Toledo	1,785	1,333	531	997			1,302	403	303	71	106	71			197	
Wichita, Kans	18,531	27,913	16,615	26,228	1,768	1,502	2,063	1,781	13,625	15,583	12,759	14,939	213	648	555	648
Total	1,621,769	2,467,554	1,125,773	1,679,399	31,811	37,384	498,478	800,578	1,803,135	1,570,186	1,011,029	957,141	136,857	80,954	784,004	624,927
Increase or decrease	−845,785		−553,626		−5,573		−302,100		+232,949		+53,888		+55,903		+159,077	
Percentage	−34.3		−33.0		−14.9		−37.7		+14.8		+5.6		+69.1		+25.5	
Total for 3 months ended with March	5,866,287	9,440,879	4,000,548	6,543,682	87,550	112,652	1,863,050	2,894,381	5,073,728	4,846,143	2,883,910	2,990,977	422,429	270,602	2,169,293	1,867,140
Increase or decrease	−3,574,592		−2,543,134		−25,102		−1,031,331		+227,585		−107,067		+151,827		+302,153	
Percentage	−37.9		−38.9		−22.3		−35.6		+4.7		−3.6		+56.1		+16.2	
March average, 5 years, 1930–34	2,909,268		1,876,222		35,780		1,034,129		1,959,896		1,117,119		85,395		836,042	
Increase or decrease	−1,287,499		−750,449		−3,969		−535,651		−156,761		−106,090		+51,462		−52,038	
Percentage	−44.3		−40.0		−11.1		−51.8		−8.0		−9.5		+60.3		−6.2	
Drive-ins	974,691	1,423,227							382,247	277,585						
Percent of total receipts	60.1	57.7							21.2	17.7						

[1] Disposition of stock not reported.

NOTE.—This report represents the total livestock movements at the specified stockyards, including through shipments. Direct shipments to packers are included only when such shipments pass through the stockyards.

Receipts and Disposition of Livestock at Public Stockyards for March 1935, with Comparisons

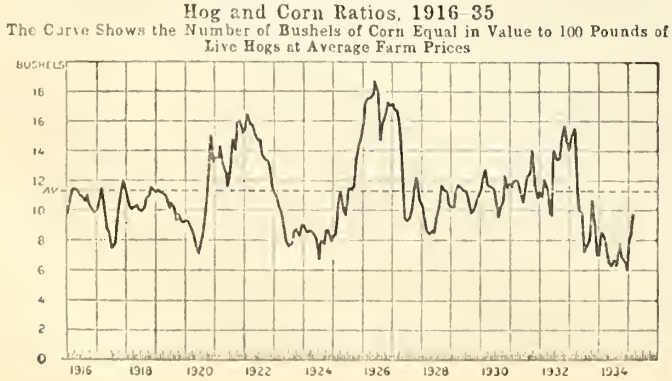
[Thousands i.e., 000 omitted]

Class and year	Receipts			Local slaughter			Stocker and feeder			Total shipments		
	March	Jan. to Mar.	Total for year	March	Jan. to Mar.	Total for year	March	Jan. to Mar.	Total for year	March	Jan. to Mar.	Total for year
Cattle only:												
1920	1,207	3,868	16,860	695	2,126	8,320	230	796	3,981	481	1,669	8,376
1921	1,114	3,241	14,310	597	1,801	7,279	228	590	3,326	503	1,398	6,997
1922	1,145	3,411	17,141	625	1,816	8,247	266	724	4,544	521	1,557	8,732
1923	1,044	3,477	16,999	611	1,941	8,591	186	646	4,304	434	1,488	8,189
1924	1,084	3,513	17,173	633	2,022	9,052	167	562	3,770	436	1,435	7,896
1925	1,273	3,682	17,117	729	2,120	9,303	213	571	3,593	511	1,492	7,534
1926	1,233	3,612	17,034	781	2,214	9,528	171	542	3,456	429	1,323	7,291
1927	1,172	3,579	16,258	719	2,155	8,899	182	531	3,303	448	1,360	7,108
1928	966	3,283	15,189	581	1,914	7,925	154	544	3,562	382	1,313	7,047
1929	953	2,926	14,337	565	1,793	7,691	146	411	3,250	370	1,094	6,492
1930	1,045	3,108	13,798	571	1,725	7,464	176	550	2,858	444	1,319	6,176
1931	1,018	2,936	13,486	597	1,685	7,241	126	445	2,609	397	1,216	6,170
1932	897	2,725	11,831	543	1,667	6,646	108	311	2,203	351	1,026	5,114
1933	758	2,440	12,347	496	1,530	7,359	86	319	2,124	268	895	4,893
1934 [1]	969	3,072	19,679	618	1,984	11,057	119	347	3,176	348	1,052	8,435
1935 [1]	975	3,231	------	577	1,945	------	165	498	-----	381	1,236	------
Calves only:												
1920	456	1,155	5,337	355	889	3,875	11	34	121	101	283	1,455
1921	452	1,158	5,477	351	870	3,799	8	17	178	97	276	1,604
1922	477	1,255	6,077	369	927	4,189	16	35	320	111	333	1,933
1923	458	1,329	6,212	345	974	4,443	13	44	249	120	382	1,869
1924	472	1,387	6,523	358	1,040	4,798	8	25	208	113	370	1,795
1925	588	1,577	6,950	459	1,176	5,159	17	42	230	134	416	1,904
1926	578	1,590	6,837	439	1,164	4,822	13	44	256	144	456	2,113
1927	571	1,551	6,505	415	1,127	4,560	18	48	306	159	442	2,064
1928	499	1,469	6,289	359	1,067	4,384	19	57	403	140	422	1,964
1929	497	1,357	6,103	364	987	4,215	16	47	401	126	368	1,909
1930	502	1,404	6,568	348	995	4,241	30	90	568	148	405	2,142
1931	518	1,410	6,129	363	986	4,155	20	71	435	149	424	1,956
1932	480	1,309	5,501	343	938	3,728	18	54	416	132	364	1,733
1933	413	1,194	5,587	291	808	3,817	15	63	423	118	372	1,748
1934 [1]	530	1,488	8,090	381	1,066	5,769	20	78	489	147	422	2,359
1935 [1]	495	1,509	------	338	1,055	------	28	85	-----	156	460	------
Hogs:												
1920	3,940	12,624	42,121	2,496	8,119	26,761	107	282	728	1,427	4,466	15,298
1921	3,386	12,095	41,101	2,120	7,756	26,335	81	175	499	1,265	4,321	14,709
1922	3,411	11,302	44,068	2,246	7,015	28,737	74	163	593	1,181	4,295	15,332
1923	4,928	14,725	55,330	3,235	9,450	36,172	69	199	820	1,703	5,259	19,142
1924	4,833	16,421	55,414	2,976	10,219	35,188	52	149	496	1,854	6,177	20,203
1925	3,528	14,190	43,929	2,285	9,205	27,665	52	125	532	1,239	4,995	16,266
1926	3,579	11,255	39,772	2,144	6,899	24,580	56	180	917	1,428	4,353	15,173
1927	3,754	11,314	41,411	2,386	7,086	26,347	99	292	888	1,368	4,210	15,043
1928	4,639	15,212	46,527	2,892	9,791	29,283	78	230	735	1,760	5,419	17,191
1929	3,436	12,569	44,097	2,073	7,823	27,920	72	168	623	1,365	4,732	16,154
1930	3,294	11,796	40,774	1,853	7,046	24,883	58	152	517	1,451	4,739	15,882
1931	3,207	11,563	39,538	1,962	7,162	24,539	31	112	533	1,234	4,390	14,973
1932	2,939	10,816	35,028	1,966	7,137	23,697	30	102	321	971	3,669	11,303
1933	2,638	8,726	40,377	1,921	6,217	30,472	22	76	398	715	2,496	9,860
1934	2,468	9,441	33,720	1,679	6,541	23,919	37	113	558	801	2,894	9,778
1935	1,622	5,866	------	1,126	4,001	------	32	88	-----	498	1,863	------
Sheep:												
1920	1,315	4,345	23,538	792	2,526	10,981	135	587	5,180	526	1,837	12,563
1921	1,750	5,058	24,168	1,053	3,088	12,858	84	234	3,095	693	1,966	11,333
1922	1,465	4,699	22,364	780	2,466	10,669	143	495	4,167	677	2,221	11,677
1923	1,430	4,432	22,025	805	2,410	10,271	114	454	4,478	646	2,021	11,730
1924	1,367	4,477	22,201	719	2,364	10,399	83	339	4,676	654	2,121	11,794
1925	1,504	4,359	22,160	836	2,333	10,399	94	351	4,332	670	2,032	11,710
1926	1,695	4,729	23,868	1,001	2,720	11,387	83	346	4,673	695	2,004	12,450
1927	1,558	4,799	23,939	843	2,593	11,459	140	483	4,895	719	2,207	12,482
1928	1,520	4,891	25,597	814	2,754	12,253	95	313	5,011	705	2,139	13,324
1929	1,527	4,949	26,868	836	2,718	12,852	122	424	5,565	699	2,219	13,995
1930	2,151	5,857	29,808	1,210	3,370	15,173	99	326	4,463	936	2,457	14,606
1931	2,119	6,258	33,023	1,136	3,393	15,929	103	392	5,287	948	2,836	16,996
1932	2,115	6,513	29,306	1,183	3,798	15,100	77	281	3,373	924	2,708	14,214
1933	1,844	5,554	27,184	1,099	3,202	13,965	67	257	3,008	746	2,343	13,196
1934 [1]	1,570	4,816	26,138	957	2,991	13,415	81	271	3,361	625	1,867	12,715
1935 [1]	1,803	5,074	------	1,011	2,884	------	137	422	-----	784	2,169	------

[1] Includes animals purchased for Federal Surplus Relief Corporation from June 6, 1934, to Feb. 7, 1935, for cattle and calves, and from Sept. 14 to Dec. 15, 1934, for sheep.
[2] Includes many pigs and sows received for Government account in emergency hog production control program from Aug. 22 to Oct. 7, 1933.

Hog and Corn Ratios, 1916–35

The Curve Shows the Number of Bushels of Corn Equal in Value to 100 Pounds of Live Hogs at Average Farm Prices



Receipts of Horses and Mules at Public Stockyards, March

Market	1935	1934	Market	1935	1934
Atlanta, Ga	3,719	3,903	Ogden, Utah	2,028	1,393
Buffalo, N. Y	2,588	2,323	Oklahoma City, Okla	1,186	527
Chicago, Ill	2,091	2,470	Omaha, Nebr	5,131	3,799
Cincinnati, Ohio	666	107	Philadelphia, Pa	------	21
Columbia, S. C	761	1,184	Pittsburgh, Pa	3,371	2,179
Denver, Colo	1,432	1,501	Portland, Oreg	71	42
Detroit, Mich	200	219	Pueblo, Colo	288	413
East St. Louis, Ill	8,666	6,565	St. Joseph, Mo	921	799
El Paso, Tex	1,169	340	San Antonio, Tex	695	874
Fort Worth, Tex	5,172	3,076	Sioux City, Iowa	1,380	1,238
Indianapolis, Ind	169	115	South St. Paul, Minn	3,845	3,269
Jacksonville, Fla	99	53	Spokane, Wash	47	142
Jersey City, N. J	2	128	Springfield, Mo	1,391	984
Joplin, Mo	201	258	Wichita, Kans	1,327	1,558
Kansas City, Mo	7,757	6,131	All others	1,163	893
Louisville, Ky	143	83			
Memphis, Tenn	9,243	6,513	Total horses and mules	67,694	54,050
Milwaukee, Wis	199	168	Total horses [1]	42,453	29,507
Montgomery, Ala	361	447	Total mules [1]	25,241	24,543
New York, N. Y	191	194			
North Salt Lake, Utah	21	136			
Accumulated receipts, 3 months:			March average, 5 years, 1930–34:		
Horses and mules	209,585	177,841	Horses and mules	45,561	
Horses [1]	107,180	81,213	Horses [1]	23,230	
Mules [1]	102,405	96,628	Mules [1]	22,331	

[1] Totals for horses and mules separately are partly estimated, as a few stockyard companies do not separate horses and mules on their reports.

Hog-Corn Ratios, 1910–35

Number of bushels of corn required to buy 100 pounds of live hogs based on averages of farm prices of corn and hogs for the month

Year	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Average
	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.
1910	12.2	12.0	13.6	14.4	13.3	12.9	12.2	11.6	13.0	14.2	15.1	14.9	13.3
1911	15.3	14.4	13.7	12.1	10.7	9.8	9.4	9.9	9.9	9.3	9.3	9.2	11.1
1912	9.1	8.8	8.6	9.0	8.4	8.1	8.3	9.1	10.1	12.0	13.2	14.1	9.9
1913	13.6	13.9	14.4	14.4	12.7	12.3	12.1	11.1	10.2	10.4	10.5	10.3	12.2
1914	10.8	11.3	11.2	10.9	10.3	9.9	10.1	10.2	10.2	10.0	10.4	10.2	10.5
1915	9.5	8.6	8.4	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.5	9.2	10.8	10.6	10.1	9.2
1916	9.8	10.5	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.0	10.9	10.6	11.1	10.4	10.0	9.8	10.7
1917	9.9	10.5	11.5	10.3	8.8	8.3	7.4	7.7	9.0	10.1	11.2	12.0	9.7
1918	11.2	10.3	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.0	9.9	10.4	10.8	11.0	11.5	11.3	10.6
1919	11.1	11.3	11.2	11.1	10.8	10.2	10.5	10.2	9.3	9.7	10.0	9.2	10.3
1920	9.3	9.2	8.8	8.4	7.6	7.1	7.8	8.5	10.1	13.0	15.1	13.3	9.8
1921	13.5	13.5	14.3	13.0	12.5	11.6	13.0	14.8	14.0	15.9	16.0	15.2	14.0
1922	15.4	16.4	16.3	15.1	14.9	14.7	14.4	13.4	13.2	13.4	12.1	11.3	14.4
1923	11.1	10.6	10.0	9.4	8.5	7.4	7.7	7.9	9.1	8.5	8.5	8.9	9.0
1924	9.0	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.1	6.7	8.0	7.7	8.7	8.7	7.9	8.2
1925	8.3	8.4	10.6	11.2	10.0	9.7	11.5	11.4	11.6	13.4	14.3	14.9	11.3
1926	15.8	17.2	17.5	17.5	17.8	18.7	17.7	14.7	15.8	16.2	17.3	17.0	16.9
1927	17.1	16.8	16.7	15.9	12.9	9.4	9.3	9.5	10.3	11.6	12.2	10.8	12.7
1928	10.4	9.6	8.7	8.1	8.6	8.5	9.4	10.2	11.7	11.3	11.3	10.4	9.9
1929	10.2	10.2	11.3	11.7	11.6	11.3	11.3	10.7	9.8	9.9	10.5	10.9	10.8
1930	11.4	12.2	12.8	11.7	11.6	11.5	10.9	9.5	10.3	10.7	12.4	11.5	11.4
1931	11.8	11.6	12.0	12.0	11.3	10.6	11.5	12.3	12.6	14.1	11.9	10.9	11.9
1932	11.2	10.9	12.1	11.4	9.8	9.6	14.1	13.4	13.5	15.0	15.7	11.5	12.6
1933	14.0	15.2	15.6	11.4	10.0	9.9	7.2	7.8	8.0	10.7	9.1	7.0	10.5
1934	7.0	8.5	8.2	7.4	6.5	6.3	6.7	6.3	7.8	6.8	6.7	6.0	7.0
1935	8.1	8.4	9.8	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

Estimated Production and Consumption of Pork and Lard from Federally Inspected Slaughter

January 1935

	Unit	Pork, excluding killing fat		Lard—rendered	
		January		January	
		1935	1934	1935	1934
Hogs passed for food	Number	3,037,293	5,375,382	------	------
Average dressed weight	Pounds	159.58	170.28	------	------
Production	1,000 lb	484,691	915,320	78,393	188,161
Imports	do	265	131	------	------
Storage 1st of month	do	805,670	762,206	148,107	132,510
Total supply	do	1,290,626	1,677,657	196,500	320,971
Exports	do	27,119	62,617	17,777	51,584
Storage end of month	do	780,481	899,160	112,497	168,755
Apparent consumption	do	482,726	715,880	66,226	100,632
Per capita	Pounds	3.8	5.7	0.5	0.8

Livestock Inspected at Markets for Shipment to Country, July–September 1934, with Comparisons

(Breeding and Dairy Stock)

Origin and destination	Breeding cattle			Dairy cattle			Breeding sheep		
	July–September			July–September			July–September		
	4-year average, 1930–33	1933	1934	4-year average, 1930–33	1933	1934	4-year average, 1930–33	1933	1934
Market origin	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*
Atlanta				282	73				
Baltimore	28	10	36	48	19	15	144	110	88
Buffalo	98	65	51	346	163	546	70	11	6
Chattanooga				174	208	30			
Chicago	92	131	345	708	471	280	1,338	2,307	1,833
Cincinnati	182	142	103	902	726	495	3,185	2,616	14,086
Cleveland		6					206	290	166
Denver	78	7	16	155	56		1,013	1,492	129
Detroit	439	413	387	1,223	1,628	758	906	2,237	1,894
East St. Louis				734	195	243	1,009	574	3,595
Fort Worth	56	36	21				524	1	1
Indianapolis	182	152	161	376	377	376	3,011	2,592	1,430
Kansas City	1,960	787	1,040	1,836	1,019	938	6,183	8,035	10,385
Lancaster	705	369		368	23				
Los Angeles	18	31	54	273	581	639	504	1,693	1,237
Louisville			115	2,293	2,716	1,121			
Memphis			1	94	127	11			
Milwaukee	172	220	177	926	1,304	1,057			
Nashville	350	613	1,035	258	207	282	413	1,209	2,467
New Orleans			32	1,696	1,668	1,435			
Ogden	16		50	609	570	836	2,341	4,558	1,542
Oklahoma City	95	95	118	730	723	607			
Omaha	811	581	2,263						
Pittsburgh	9	15	8	4,341	4,128	4,367			
Portland		2	2	152	107	198			896
Richmond	11	11		26	10	1	451	972	271
Salt Lake City							1,860	1,211	1,987
Sioux City	977	683	863						
South St. Joseph	124	206	383	332	226	545			
South St. Paul	77	23	86	2,547	1,666	1,905	2,411	5,539	4,966
Spokane	38	38	33	94	85	151	148	102	
All other inspected	564	488	272	3,344	2,014	290	531	126	685
Total	[1] 7,100	5,124	7,652	[1] 24,914	21,090	17,126	[1] 26,649	35,675	47,664
State destination									
New Hampshire				6	2				
Massachusetts				2,610	1,407	165			
Rhode Island				466	322	20			
Connecticut				58	8	80			
New York	118	65	51	563	219	307	178	11	6
New Jersey	2	1	1	1,376	1,816	1,044	36	15	43
Pennsylvania	741	457	104	3,849	3,301	4,061	109	276	
Ohio	170	119	152	891	714	531	474	287	842
Indiana	392	323	289	487	384	594	3,681	3,048	2,044
Illinois	202	148	337	1,601	988	487	998	574	2,220
Michigan	430	413	353	1,258	1,639	735	1,095	2,790	1,894
Wisconsin	188	232	254	1,103	1,373	1,126	184	271	147
Minnesota	105		81	777	146	133	2,079	5,034	4,332
Iowa	1,018	718	2,432	501	403	639	100	76	414
Missouri	999	580	609	1,075	456	1,013	4,398	6,116	8,919
North Dakota				65	9		20	33	
South Dakota	113	8	12	67	73	9			
Nebraska	670	507	606	100	53	69	12	46	1
Kansas	828	356	161	728	439	274	2,078	2,270	2,107
Delaware						47			
Maryland	28	10	35	106	19	37	976	715	81
Virginia	5	11	61	68	10	1	514	1,172	641
West Virginia			14			238			
South Carolina			55						
Georgia				110	47				
Florida	82	46	147	265	158	201			
Kentucky	311	309	203	2,294	2,860	1,164	3,898	2,961	15,583
Tennessee	338	612	1,030	318	296	189	468	1,209	2,597
Alabama			2						
Mississippi	26		294		1	963			
Arkansas			3				13		2
Louisiana		13	30	1,717	1,668	497			
Oklahoma	106	94	118	747	723	600			
Texas	2	1	21	39			228	71	19
Montana						20	66	44	111
Idaho							734	1,750	1,353
Wyoming	16	4					855	1,878	315
Colorado	32	3	3				232	165	477
New Mexico	41		56				213	84	30
Arizona	22		1				105	249	
Utah							1,610	1,565	641
Nevada							470	978	320
Washington	38	38	33	154	117	153	65	102	133
Oregon		2		93	75	176	70	30	994
California	34	54	104	1,095	1,364	1,553	586	1,855	1,398
Total	[1] 7,100	5,124	7,652	[1] 21,914	21,090	17,126	[1] 26,649	35,675	47,664

Compiled from Bureau of Animal Industry inspection records.

During the quarter ended September 1934, there were 18 breeding swine inspected at markets for shipment to country. Last year there were 244 inspected for this purpose in the third quarter, whereas the 4-year average for that period was 521.

[1] Average of totals.

Livestock Inspected at Markets for Shipment to Country, October–December 1934, with Comparisons

(Breeding and Dairy Stock)

Origin and destination	Breeding cattle			Dairy cattle			Breeding sheep		
	October–December			October–December			October–December		
	4-year average, 1930–33	1933	1934	4-year average, 1930–33	1933	1934	4-year average, 1930–33	1933	1934
Market origin	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*
Atlanta				274		280			
Baltimore	23	21	24	25		6	11		127
Buffalo	82	58	49	353	312	769	151	75	5
Chattanooga				78	88	30			
Chicago	83	106	151	478	379	411	476	875	1,873
Cincinnati	150	174	106	486	498	465	481	594	222
Cleveland							80	229	260
Denver	196	62	1,148	349	57	83	886	831	707
Detroit	456	328	462	996	1,043	769	849	1,481	3,487
East St. Louis				457	362	389	540	238	2,140
Fort Worth				33	30				
Indianapolis	168	136	374	232	249	172	1,757	573	926
Kansas City	2,511	1,112	573	1,455	935	730	2,665	3,827	7,017
Lancaster	858	205							
Los Angeles	28	39	92	196	257	602			
Louisville			117	2,212	2,974	377			
Memphis				74	39	9			
Milwaukee	148	127	488	940	1,328	762		48	
Montgomery								85	
Nashville	318	326	1,236	233	153	118	20	30	336
New Orleans			72	1,482	1,484	1,466			
Ogden	71	151	141	824	989	873	3,262	1,825	7,983
Oklahoma City	155	321	152	556	681	531		2	
Omaha	928	754	1,220						
Pittsburgh	8	21	3	2,974	3,543	2,767			
Portland				240	185	488	19	75	369
Richmond	38	125	21	11		14	9	14	51
Salt Lake City							118	25	75
Sioux City	1,431	770	989						
South St. Joseph	128	218	289	316	355	318			
South St. Paul	97	32	152	2,861	1,387	2,687	3,687	7,950	9,097
Spokane	43	43	62	119	182	242	323		1
All other inspected	506	478	212	2,332	184	426	189	24	84
Total	[1] 8,506	5,607	8,133	[1] 20,939	17,694	15,784	[1] 15,567	18,801	34,760
State destination									
Massachusetts				1,851	27	160			
Rhode Island				254		20			
New York	78	42	49	432	259	504	151	75	5
New Jersey	22	11	1	924	1,115	606			
Pennsylvania	894	234	2	2,652	2,871	2,778	62	88	276
Ohio	157	177	135	543	464	405	206	201	323
Indiana	328	283	444	338	379	335	1,739	689	1,925
Illinois	232	162	226	1,040	828	1,011	443	309	1,711
Michigan	489	399	456	1,058	1,127	769	942	1,738	3,641
Wisconsin	178	128	501	1,310	1,729	1,061	442	562	303
Minnesota	131	17	268	956	75	435	3,132	7,172	7,476
Iowa	1,299	1,014	1,540	457	274	703	71	203	1,289
Missouri	1,240	647	466	826	764	608	2,109	2,693	6,142
North Dakota	1	1					30		3
South Dakota	328	68	24				19	71	
Nebraska	699	533	527	130	59	62			
Kansas	1,018	479	203	682	252	151	879	1,243	1,834
Delaware			8			25			
Maryland	32	20	15	67	68	93	122	358	220
Virginia	45	126	22	34		36	144	214	59
West Virginia	8	1							
North Carolina	7		15			12			
South Carolina				41		18			
Georgia				45		25			
Florida	71	54	34	363	145	372			
Kentucky	326	279	188	2,292	3,028	603	431	392	184
Tennessee	322	326	1,219	307	272	146	50	30	336
Alabama			1						
Mississippi	1	1	69			125			
Arkansas									66
Louisiana			43	1,498	1,484	1,466		2	
Oklahoma	144	320	252	553	681	531	32		
Montana	14		738						
Idaho	8	1					664	170	232
Wyoming	31	4	28	2	1		487	310	
Colorado	81	11					396	776	396
New Mexico	56	38	31				66		15
Arizona		1	154						
Utah	18	28		50	20	10	1,501	1,125	1,024
Nevada		1	41						
Washington	40	43	182	200	246	519	307		132
Oregon				130	118	243		75	421
California	80	158	251	1,484	1,408	1,952	472		6,697
Total	[1] 8,506	5,607	8,133	[1] 20,939	17,694	15,784	[1] 15,567	18,801	34,760

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During the quarter October–December 1934, there were 34 head of breeding swine inspected at market for shipment to country of which 33 were at Indianapolis and 1 at Spokane.

Last year 78 were inspected for this purpose during the fourth quarter, whereas the 4-year average for that period was 570.

[1] Average of totals.

Livestock Inspected at Markets for Shipment to Country, October 1934 with Comparisons

(Feeding Stock Only)

Origin and destination	Cattle			Sheep			Swine		
	4-year average, 1930–33	October 1933	October 1934	4-year average, 1930–33	October 1933	October 1934	4-year average, 1930–33	October 1933	October 1934
Market origin	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*
Atlanta	1,436	769	317						
Baltimore	2,202	2,107	3,326						
Buffalo	206	212	257	432	796	66	22	27	115
Chicago	34,276	33,024	31,099	85,310	55,850	68,268			
Cincinnati	1,888	2,276	3,017	390	424	52	57	108	3
Cleveland	76	96			100	129			
Denver	45,798	30,468	31,680	314,894	293,845	318,566	323		452
Detroit	1,707	1,550	1,312	2,657	3,591	1,531	370	904	792
East St. Louis	16,568	18,957	9,609	3,026	4,584	3,645	1,245	1,576	1,852
Fort Worth	18,648	8,524	18,792	10,589	9,755	14,537	124	63	569
Indianapolis	3,814	4,048	5,511	1,290	1,102	1,578	450	274	531
Kansas City	120,395	120,500	76,712	36,092	21,356	37,874	2,081	1,242	10,942
Lancaster	8,318	12,773	14,426						
Los Angeles	5,022	3,521	9,614	247	345	180	26	19	17
Louisville	2,780	3,725	7,820	889	2,192	2,862	104	34	78
Memphis	687	856	441		30		298	237	276
Milwaukee	27		28	368	560	564	178	84	163
Montgomery	1,276	867	168				23		7
Nashville	2,364	2,518	5,171		24		22	74	
New Orleans	2,290	1,596	1,267	11	2	71	168	420	53
Ogden	3,955	4,197	7,083	28,687	24,739	47,210	237	436	51
Oklahoma City	9,594	10,227	1,866	822	1,017		545	709	1,086
Omaha	95,092	87,656	57,044	129,739	81,320	70,604	852	977	1,587
Pittsburgh	379	489	1,779	142	144				
Portland	740	457	1,057	551	308	2,019	1,690	1,854	1,790
Richmond	323	511	392	64	83	49	69	183	81
Salt Lake City	718	886	3,938	29,095	27,338	12,581	44		72
San Antonio	6,366	5,080	14,590	1,010	149	1,421	320	536	371
Sioux City	54,460	64,173	43,452	72,836	73,200	92,064			
Sioux Falls	6,542	7,725	4,558	1,045	2,402	5,493	336	141	116
South St. Joseph	19,704	25,341	8,225	25,250	23,583	29,119	1,286	282	4,172
South St. Paul	29,736	28,194	17,402	58,584	67,573	82,190	16,228	12,908	20,439
Spokane	853	779	2,592			288	1,159	759	511
Wichita	19,921	15,742	23,009	5,927	1,686	12,072	1,212	1,375	1,793
All other inspected	4,064	4,021	2,227	3,513	69	299	1,170	366	851
Total	[2] 522,249	503,865	409,781	[2] 813,686	698,167	805,332	[2] 30,689	25,588	48,770
State destination									
Massachusetts			223				400		1,093
Connecticut									475
New York	832	667	652	10,322	7,217	12,279	337	267	259
New Jersey	331	271	426	21		137	4,016	3,636	8,148
Pennsylvania	9,791	13,842	17,728	507	737	186			1,004
Ohio	16,847	16,734	21,365	16,392	8,684	10,262	2,420	321	1,040
Indiana	27,508	23,845	25,086	25,693	12,464	25,906	2,288	458	916
Illinois	68,804	61,593	53,260	31,151	22,605	40,555	2,424	2,701	2,682
Michigan	4,957	5,623	4,340	37,942	40,253	31,716	2,056	2,319	2,394
Wisconsin	2,045	1,397	2,003	21,191	23,444	16,728	336	92	740
Minnesota	6,687	5,957	3,191	18,922	27,271	31,240	2,495	3,877	4,676
Iowa	109,266	130,894	92,156	87,250	87,986	143,012	980	1,557	666
Missouri	43,490	50,020	27,101	28,909	27,607	51,536	2,689	2,065	4,181
North Dakota	82	20							
South Dakota	7,919	5,602	3,491	10,073	10,284	10,281	346	73	116
Nebraska	90,417	73,602	30,261	208,248	145,856	109,438	1,126	846	430
Kansas	52,290	52,521	26,355	69,301	57,196	49,706	1,838	1,528	3,595
Delaware	50	22	76						
Maryland	2,469	2,963	3,836	304		220			179
Virginia	1,749	1,238	3,099	298	83	49	215	183	8,312
West Virginia	116	13	467						
North Carolina	30		151						478
South Carolina	18		126						
Georgia	1,802	825	202						
Florida	351	220	77						
Kentucky	4,799	5,293	12,665	1,051	2,348	3,183	354	398	647
Tennessee	3,009	2,830	4,539	28	54		229	102	58
Alabama	656	234	202				35	43	7
Mississippi	798	1,023	215		2		151	240	140
Arkansas	306	172	140				94	76	65
Louisiana	994	818	1,498	11	2	71	168	420	53
Oklahoma	14,004	11,842	4,162	3,434	1,422	6,200	516	709	751
Texas	13,665	8,021	[1] 25,628	6,702	5,139	5,978	486	599	1,811
Idaho	166	229	244	2,982	6,515	10,373	53	10	48
Wyoming	3,272	2,345	1,783	1,420	1,980	638	113	306	
Colorado	20,002	12,610	13,220	206,713	199,613	215,889	220		452
Arizona	173		1,118			180			
Utah	1,554	1,258	963	10,777	6,535	7,047	242	130	123
Nevada	486	160	1,392						
Washington	1,061	890	2,816	253	137	897	2,170	1,352	1,277
Oregon	312	281	152	158	171	2,163	1,420	1,256	1,624
California	9,015	7,990	23,369	13,432	2,562	19,462	433	19	326
Total	[2] 522,249	503,865	409,781	[2] 813,686	698,167	805,332	[2] 30,689	[2] 25,588	48,770

Compiled from Bureau of Animal Industry inspection records.

[1] Includes stocker cattle from the local stockyards and stockers being returned from interior points in Kansas and Oklahoma to interior points in Texas and stopped at local stockyards for feed, water, and rest.

[2] Average of totals.

[3] Includes shipments to Alaska: 1933, 5 head; 1934, 4 head.

Livestock Inspected at Markets for Shipment to Country, November 1934 with Comparisons

(Feeding Stock Only)

Origin and destination	Cattle			Sheep			Swine		
	4-year average, 1930–33	November 1933	November 1934	4-year average, 1930–33	November 1933	November 1934	4-year average, 1930–33	November 1933	November 1934
Market origin	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*
Atlanta	690	144	287						
Baltimore	1,034	1,272	1,955						
Buffalo	436	344	364	660	1,120	272	51	3	462
Chicago	23,078	21,264	12,208	46,033	21,951	18,523			
Cincinnati	1,721	2,197	1,736				18	41	
Cleveland				245	756	25			
Denver	55,009	50,251	29,873	195,486	172,558	70,044	329	130	334
Detroit	1,510	1,697	1,192	3,116	4,287	1,700	179	466	450
East St. Louis	10,799	10,839	7,930	741	708	2,284	754	719	2,446
Fort Worth	18,677	8,450	11,042	6,622	6,347	35,289	110	34	331
Indianapolis	1,703	915	2,530	746	725	510	374	501	1,085
Kansas City	81,787	63,504	34,999	12,910	7,291	10,419	1,880	1,107	8,494
Lancaster	7,051	8,498	12,643						
Los Angeles	6,434	6,458	10,439			342			
Louisville	1,267	1,517	4,131	230	865	469	104	60	70
Memphis	394	670	863				609	715	363
Milwaukee	45	48	50	158	132	169	32	27	296
Montgomery	657	379	455				7		4
Nashville	1,630	1,571	2,388						
New Orleans	1,666	1,800	1,059	7	8		220	374	110
Ogden	5,367	5,237	5,533	13,654	8,328	18,382	190	114	40
Oklahoma City	6,984	8,472	2,349	898	621		515	413	
Omaha	54,934	55,156	27,870	39,918	31,387	16,216	1,000	1,497	1,285
Pittsburgh	440	540	1,108	54	99				
Portland	592	307	749	512	303		1,614	1,047	1,559
Richmond	205	126	566				49	50	235
Salt Lake City	2,124	3,930	478	2,651	896	1,105		44	9
San Antonio	5,919	3,585	5,615	737	2,303	69	274	263	267
Sioux City	35,080	33,010	20,690	26,039	30,010	15,625			
Sioux Falls	4,556	3,958	3,747	598	1,180	4,363	328	115	72
South St. Joseph	11,595	12,913	5,538	13,796	15,037	5,320	1,774	1,384	4,370
South St. Paul	15,545	14,651	6,416	34,863	27,931	28,873	14,317	9,218	11,784
Spokane	736	870	2,799		142		753	471	435
Wichita	20,623	13,415	20,931	1,985	1,810	15,047	1,064	1,047	2,584
All other inspected	3,124	3,908	3,367	3,477	5,669	1,403	1,090	725	952
Total	[1] 383,498	341,896	243,900	[1] 406,397	332,494	246,449	[1] 27,688	20,565	38,037
State destination									
Mass	19		12				364	326	1,703
R. I.			4						
Conn									461
N. Y.	611	506	419	11,860	14,260	10,898	235	3	1,211
N. J.	276	476	116				2,122	1,974	3,684
Pa.	8,274	9,470	13,683	140	204	360	261		964
Ohio	10,028	8,561	5,926	7,992	3,108	2,593	3,012	54	232
Ind.	14,593	10,885	8,860	10,823	4,103	8,610	1,626	663	1,280
Ill.	45,419	37,095	21,524	13,922	4,213	6,345	2,108	1,912	1,857
Mich.	3,680	3,764	2,244	22,830	16,535	11,371	1,092	819	1,460
Wis.	1,198	974	953	7,108	5,442	2,313	100	27	503
Minn.	3,131	2,037	1,776	11,394	10,416	9,028	2,760	2,815	3,082
Iowa	76,119	72,925	40,304	28,931	21,880	25,230	1,340	1,391	54
Mo.	28,675	28,602	18,221	13,266	14,013	15,579	3,248	2,902	2,451
S. Dak.	5,021	2,791	2,296	3,670	2,974	3,820	122	56	18
Nebr.	54,624	51,633	18,604	90,218	85,612	40,303	875	1,468	624
Kans.	44,299	34,980	30,791	22,251	7,950	34,084	1,712	1,075	3,701
Del.	21	32	49						
Md.	1,396	1,858	1,681						250
Va.	1,014	607	2,174			156	191	50	4,806
W. Va.	108	2	152	129	30	18			
N. C.			147						1,616
S. C.	120		38						667
Ga.	732	293	283						
Fla.	221	96	235						
Ky.	2,582	3,281	6,530	336	956	2,072	642	895	279
Tenn.	1,774	1,918	2,849				400	265	1,322
Ala.	396	96	323				48	123	4
Miss.	571	611	217				236	521	152
Ark.	428	460	72				194	128	64
La.	910	858	1,037	7	8		220	374	265
Okla.	11,341	10,716	5,147	1,457	955	23,714	517	413	70
Tex.	14,510	5,676	11,034	5,600	5,687	3,858	500	297	1,458
Mont.			39						
Idaho	288	71	595					9	6
Wyo.	1,645	666	463	2,218	1,449		22	36	
Colo.	32,389	30,140	17,380	141,992	122,481	35,256	806	94	334
Ariz.			622			771			
Utah	2,414	1,659	611	3,739	4,141	1,963	201	158	49
Nev.	1,006	1,628	156						
Wash.	948	971	2,293	75	202		1,520	996	1,248
Oreg.	358	130	648	364	243		1,528	676	1,467
Calif.	12,295	15,428	23,392	4,482	5,632	8,107	106		661
Total	[1] 383,498	341,896	243,900	[1] 406,397	332,494	246,449	[1] 27,688	[2] 20,565	[2] 38,037

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[1] Average of totals.

[2] Includes 45 head of swine shipped to Alaska in 1933 and 4 head in 1934.

Livestock Inspected at Markets for Shipment to Country, December 1934, with Comparisons

(Feeding Stock Only)

Origin and destination	Cattle			Sheep			Swine		
	4-year average, 1930-33	December 1933	December 1934	4-year average, 1930-33	December 1933	December 1934	4-year average, 1930-33	December 1933	December 1934
Market origin	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*
Atlanta	109	92	281						
Baltimore	418	158	1,451						
Buffalo	276	96	256	266	54	424	28		47
Chicago	14,132	8,408	7,384	13,296	4,621	30,634			
Cincinnati	853	289	866				36	30	33
Cleveland				197	414	212			
Denver	26,202	21,222	7,886	48,450	31,648	13,503	343	34	292
Detroit	968	490	853	891	1,394	456	93	287	506
East St. Louis	7,030	3,903	4,385	622	527	1,055	900	1,121	1,594
Fort Worth	9,965	5,578	7,479	5,018	5,316	5,192	141	17	480
Indianapolis	2,136	1,765	1,543	486	76	306	142	541	787
Kansas City	14,304	21,773	20,530	9,988	9,886	5,368	1,389	1,065	3,708
Lancaster	3,493	2,714	4,978						
Los Angeles	6,128	4,387	9,533	53	9	19	113		27
Louisville	780	1,262	2,988				134	22	122
Memphis	254	358	138				406	699	241
Milwaukee	59	21		68		106	42		201
Montgomery	220	125	114				53		4
Nashville	727	500	1,059				33		10
New Orleans	1,132	778	477				157	87	108
Ogden	3,189	1,637	2,707	7,276	12,752	14,305	38		90
Oklahoma City	6,018	5,825	6,584	749	1,492		668	502	
Omaha	26,648	18,611	9,882	25,584	12,995	10,125	1,079	961	1,284
Pittsburgh	215	291	315			195			
Portland	152	152	99	245	564	462	1,024	787	1,654
Richmond	98	4	232				122	237	587
Salt Lake City	269	385	760	1,125	320			5	18
San Antonio	2,862	2,331	3,532	741	206	20	334	315	546
Sioux City	17,113	12,498	6,548	11,298	7,354	12,490			
Sioux Falls	3,386	2,519	2,253	407	567	4,627	344	354	
South St. Joseph	6,733	4,597	3,330	12,849	15,555	3,471	1,127	149	3,994
South St. Paul	6,064	2,558	2,175	14,560	10,274	8,806	9,740	6,614	5,379
Spokane	318	508	448				443	316	452
Wichita	12,479	7,708	8,404	1,115	173	5,819	1,363	1,236	1,590
All other inspected	1,607	1,283	1,081	982	600	19	836	963	1,173
Total	[1] 206,408	137,826	120,551	[1] 156,356	116,797	117,704	[1] 21,459	16,342	24,927
State destination									
Massachusetts	10	7	40				649	620	606
New York	362	141	290	3,446	1,053	3,770	550	1,049	443
New Jersey	105	61	233				1,420	964	1,462
Pennsylvania	3,967	3,178	5,135	42	72	189			
Ohio	4,937	2,951	3,131	2,303	1,032	2,705	876	110	352
Indiana	8,206	4,915	4,505	3,130	1,381	2,508	1,420	945	1,323
Illinois	20,671	12,704	10,716	3,095	935	15,302	1,343	1,439	826
Michigan	1,892	982	1,380	12,325	7,912	10,102	1,065	287	695
Wisconsin	920	397	441	4,841	4,090	10,496	166	81	717
Minnesota	1,185	558	474	3,671	3,386	3,376	2,047	1,335	1,234
Iowa	34,946	23,807	11,495	11,572	8,466	12,581	995	819	13
Missouri	15,884	11,853	9,014	15,620	20,107	3,875	2,460	2,239	1,416
North Dakota	98		15						
South Dakota	3,574	1,835	1,362	2,078	1,384	5,578	242	68	
Nebraska	32,917	21,645	9,756	39,369	38,295	15,153	1,121	991	1,366
Kansas	28,542	18,243	14,165	9,366	2,421	12,849	1,675	1,191	2,357
Delaware	42		41						
Maryland	454	309	828						
Virginia	512	398	1,605				191	512	1,488
North Carolina			112						320
South Carolina									1,928
Georgia	154	156	110						
Florida	62	9	114						
Kentucky	1,711	2,008	5,505			616	656	768	1,218
Tennessee	1,078	1,132	1,529				199	210	545
Alabama	185	125	12				73	60	42
Mississippi	472	487	64				274	290	45
Arkansas	127	65	51				27	52	
Louisiana	743	513	477				157	87	108
Oklahoma	8,342	6,506	7,048	1,146	1,521	4,711	701	502	
Texas	7,894	3,427	7,742	3,161	3,505	1,133	485	332	1,678
Idaho	113	41							5
Wyoming	842	82							
Colorado	15,402	11,863	4,026	37,019	18,618	5,432	311	34	292
Arizona			427						
Utah	1,036	685	240	1,449	1,478	1,471	40	5	108
Nevada	127	231	160						
Washington	342	540	408	164	564		977	678	1,159
Oregon	131	120	139	86		462	879	674	2,539
California	8,087	5,852	17,761	1,654	577	5,404	184		642
Total	[1] 206,408	137,826	120,551	[1] 156,356	116,797	117,704	[1] 21,459	16,342	24,927

Compiled from Bureau of Animal Industry inspection records.

[1] Average of totals.

Livestock Inspected at Markets for Shipment to Country, January 1935, with Comparisons

(Feeding Stock Only)

Origin and destination	Cattle			Sheep			Swine		
	January			January			January		
	4-year average, 1931-34	1934	1935	4-year average, 1931-34	1934	1935	4-year average, 1931-34	1934	1935
Market origin	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*	*Number*
Atlanta	158		208						
Baltimore	122	37	186						
Buffalo	86	67	12	99	2	8			
Chattanooga	68	35							
Chicago	5,785	3,615	4,029	7,144	2,435	43,072			
Cincinnati	414	127	278				45	2	91
Cleveland			33		241	304			
Denver	22,078	22,815	17,980	13,235	19,766	12,390	235	23	20
Detroit	441	544	555	427	853	85	386	1,073	543
East St. Louis	3,872	3,034	4,532	234	460	226	1,694	2,042	722
Fort Worth	5,654	1,893	3,843	6,291	2,936	3,638	273	236	682
Indianapolis	1,110	1,737	1,375	197	300	1,393	376	288	345
Kansas City	32,205	28,429	37,304	8,223	14,239	6,591	2,418	2,535	2,956
Lancaster	1,421	1,153	1,324						
Los Angeles	2,473	2,253	4,627	76	298	11	58		30
Louisville	650	1,219	2,190	184	725		84	179	269
Memphis	212	296	35				606	840	365
Milwaukee				15	11		33	49	99
Montgomery	154	53	67				38	17	10
Nashville	732	757	1,057						
New Orleans	1,193	917	114	4	9		328	130	86
Ogden	1,147	1,273	799	7,283	8,506	9,880	99	70	122
Oklahoma City	3,564	1,130	11,497				528	535	1,423
Omaha	17,734	14,546	20,005	21,948	11,211	16,629	1,544	3,088	687
Pittsburgh	114	171	241						
Portland	149	151	298	108		266	800	957	911
Richmond	48	92	82				212	40	122
Salt Lake City		35	411				36	101	23
San Antonio	1,977	2,234	1,464	300	200	38	474	500	332
Sioux City	11,352	11,718	10,729	9,942	8,759	18,999			
Sioux Falls	2,842	2,691	2,196	127	188	4,092	540	464	23
South St. Joseph	4,131	4,605	4,916	8,884	2,842	2,880	1,630	2,034	1,887
South St. Paul	3,031	2,116	1,560	10,627	6,947	4,392	8,343	8,602	3,210
Spokane	200	351	816			555	350	460	210
Wichita	10,089	10,222	11,515	669	2,023	4,932	1,317	1,798	1,067
All other inspected	793	699	908	1,110	459	2,027	1,003	916	1,095
Total	[1] 136,004	121,015	147,216	[1] 98,194	83,413	132,408	[1] 23,510	26,979	17,339
State destination									
Massachusetts	8	6	8				210	279	
New York	134	117	4	1,290	2	1,152	222	255	
New Jersey	31	31	65				1,667	1,891	2,324
Pennsylvania	1,531	1,267	1,550	76	244	304			
Ohio	2,439	1,882	3,437	739	944	2,973	646	109	268
Indiana	3,788	3,589	4,667	2,288	3,399	10,578	1,302	1,292	387
Illinois	12,334	10,520	14,936	2,724	2,327	11,597	2,330	2,510	847
Michigan	932	1,331	687	7,262	7,312	18,358	1,270	1,495	1,089
Wisconsin	475	164	349	5,114	2,525	5,817	88	49	197
Minnesota	680	560	330	3,376	4,464	3,284	1,647	2,533	818
Iowa	28,715	24,832	29,784	9,288	10,801	20,980	736	801	534
Missouri	11,551	10,880	13,099	9,137	4,387	5,305	3,649	4,644	1,359
North Dakota	20	34							
South Dakota	2,625	1,909	2,401	1,144	1,588	6,087	374	162	23
Nebraska	24,278	23,080	25,190	32,686	30,907	27,764	1,407	3,006	592
Kansas	20,285	19,607	17,411	4,390	1,610	8,506	1,922	2,637	2,174
Maryland	274	331	92						
Virginia	530	614	328				212	40	674
West Virginia	41		85				134	286	
North Carolina			345						
Georgia	192	165						2	
Florida	97	55			131				
Kentucky	1,309	1,569	3,915		725	145	493	976	424
Tennessee	964	666	1,088				290	344	193
Alabama	86	1	65				88	85	10
Mississippi	450	429	114				302	276	172
Arkansas	38	106	63				152	341	
Louisiana	825	611	88	4	9		328	130	86
Oklahoma	4,953	2,112	9,159	660	356	365	394		1,383
Texas	4,926	2,514	2,076	4,895	1,620	2,073	747	736	1,014
Montana			36						
Idaho	191	9	100			133			
Wyoming	358	95							
Colorado	6,980	7,893	4,085	9,593	9,257	5,212	214	23	29
Utah	500	647	494	747	48	369	135	171	145
Nevada	62		32						
Washington	213	351	893			571	1,122	936	1,298
Oregon	133	151	215	40		250	888	686	967
California	3,035	2,887	10,034	2,451	757	645	126	273	332
Total	[1] 136,004	121,015	147,216	[1] 98,194	83,413	132,408	[1] 23,510	[2] 26,979	17,339

Compiled from Bureau of Animal Industry inspection records.

[1] Average of totals.

[2] Includes 11 head shipped to Alaska.

Average Prices of Livestock, March 1935, with Comparisons

Based on Mean of Daily Price Range. [In dollars per 100 pounds]

Classification	Chicago						Kansas City						Omaha					
	Week ended—				Monthly		Week ended—				Monthly		Week ended—				Monthly	
	Mar. 9, 1935	Mar. 16, 1935	Mar. 23, 1935	Mar. 30, 1935	February 1935	March 1935	Mar. 9, 1935	Mar. 16, 1936	Mar. 23, 1935	Mar. 30, 1935	February 1935	March 1935	Mar. 9, 1935	Mar. 16, 1935	Mar. 23, 1935	Mar. 30, 1935	February 1935	March 1935
Slaughter cattle, calves, and vealers:																		
Steers:																		
550–900 lb.:																		
Choice	12.62	12.75	12.12	12.18	12.07	12.42	11.25	11.38	11.20	11.12	10.75	11.24	11.35	11.38	11.12	11.12	11.00	11.24
Good	11.45	11.62	10.98	11.00	10.88	11.26	10.25	10.38	10.08	10.00	9.75	10.18	10.70	10.75	10.38	10.38	10.16	10.55
Medium	9.18	9.45	8.88	8.92	8.48	9.11	8.25	8.50	8.22	8.12	7.66	8.27	8.52	8.62	8.38	8.38	8.10	8.48
Common	7.35	7.60	7.15	7.25	6.50	7.33	6.50	6.85	6.58	6.50	5.67	6.61	6.40	6.62	6.50	6.50	5.98	6.50
900–1100 lb.:																		
Choice	13.40	13.50	13.00	13.08	13.05	13.24	12.48	12.67	12.36	12.25	12.11	12.44	12.94	13.00	12.75	12.62	12.48	12.83
Good	11.68	11.95	11.35	11.50	11.26	11.62	10.95	11.25	10.85	10.75	10.60	10.95	11.20	11.25	11.08	11.12	10.78	11.16
Medium	9.88	10.20	9.55	9.42	9.06	9.76	8.98	9.45	9.02	8.88	8.28	9.08	8.88	9.12	9.08	9.12	8.48	9.05
Common	7.75	7.98	7.52	7.62	6.84	7.72	7.02	7.48	7.20	7.12	6.18	7.20	6.68	6.88	6.95	7.00	6.22	6.88
1100–1300 lb.:																		
Choice	13.66	13.77	13.40	13.50	13.43	13.58	12.78	13.04	12.78	12.75	12.51	12.84	13.22	13.25	13.12	13.12	12.91	13.18
Good	12.10	12.45	11.80	11.68	11.56	12.01	11.32	11.72	11.32	11.12	10.93	11.37	11.35	11.50	11.50	11.50	10.98	11.46
Medium	10.02	10.32	9.75	9.68	9.38	9.94	9.40	9.95	9.58	9.38	8.82	9.58	9.15	9.38	9.45	9.50	8.76	9.37
1300–1500 lb.:																		
Choice	13.73	13.90	13.55	13.58	13.50	13.69	12.90	13.17	12.97	12.88	12.60	12.98	13.26	13.30	13.25	13.25	12.92	13.26
Good	12.18	12.38	11.88	11.80	11.82	12.06	11.48	11.85	11.45	11.25	11.18	11.51	11.48	11.62	11.62	11.62	11.14	11.58
Heifers:																		
550–750 lb.:																		
Choice	11.12	11.38	10.95	11.25	10.76	11.18	10.00	10.25	10.10	10.08	9.64	10.11	10.00	10.06	10.02	10.00	9.62	10.02
Good	10.08	10.25	9.88	10.08	9.62	10.07	9.12	9.25	9.00	8.98	8.26	9.09	8.98	9.00	8.98	8.88	8.49	8.96
Common and Medium	7.45	7.62	7.18	7.38	6.72	7.41	6.50	6.75	6.50	6.48	5.86	6.56	6.52	6.62	6.50	6.50	5.98	6.54
750–900 lb.:																		
Good and Choice	10.95	11.12	10.55	10.75	10.42	10.84	9.75	10.10	9.80	9.68	9.22	9.83	9.82	9.88	9.88	9.75	9.33	9.83
Common and Medium	7.45	7.62	7.18	7.38	6.76	7.41	6.50	6.75	6.52	6.48	5.92	6.56	6.62	6.75	6.72	6.50	6.15	6.65
Cows:																		
Good	8.48	8.75	8.02	7.92	7.32	8.29	6.75	7.08	6.72	6.90	6.42	6.86	7.22	7.32	7.10	7.05	6.58	7.17
Common and Medium	5.98	6.05	5.48	5.45	5.06	5.74	5.10	5.45	5.15	5.30	4.76	5.25	5.45	5.55	5.30	5.22	4.75	5.38
Low Cutter and Cutter	4.02	4.12	3.62	3.68	3.40	3.86	3.30	3.48	3.25	3.38	2.83	3.35	3.75	3.95	3.60	3.53	3.10	3.71
Bulls (yearlings excluded):																		
Good (beef)	6.25	6.58	6.48	6.30	5.85	6.40	5.18	5.38	5.38	5.38	4.87	5.33	5.72	5.72	5.65	5.58	5.42	5.67
Cutter, Common and Medium	4.76	5.06	5.08	4.92	4.46	4.96	4.18	4.25	4.25	4.25	3.82	4.23	4.48	4.36	4.38	4.32	4.12	4.38
Vealers:																		
Good and Choice	8.60	8.55	8.20	8.05	8.04	8.35	8.25	8.25	8.00	7.90	7.80	8.10	7.95	8.00	7.60	7.65	7.66	7.80
Medium	6.75	6.75	6.60	6.50	6.36	6.65	6.75	6.75	6.50	6.40	5.98	6.60	6.40	6.50	6.10	6.00	6.08	6.25
Cull and Common	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.65	5.00	4.75	4.75	4.50	4.55	4.05	4.64	4.45	4.50	4.30	4.25	4.21	4.38
Calves, 250–500 lb.:																		
Good and Choice	8.85	9.00	8.75	8.75	8.18	8.84	7.75	7.82	7.65	7.72	7.38	7.74	7.70	7.75	7.75	7.75	7.34	7.74
Common and Medium	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.50	5.11	5.50	5.25	5.25	5.00	5.05	4.66	5.14	4.72	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.53	4.74
Feeder and stocker cattle and calves:																		
Steers:																		
500–800 lb.:																		
Good and Choice	7.55	7.88	7.70	7.62	7.11	7.69	7.48	7.62	7.55	7.50	7.06	7.54	7.25	7.50	7.62	7.50	7.22	7.47
Common and Medium	5.92	6.12	5.95	5.88	5.48	5.97	5.35	5.75	5.58	5.50	5.09	5.51	5.25	5.38	5.50	5.38	5.20	5.38
800–1,050 lb.:																		
Good and Choice	7.80	8.12	7.82	7.75	7.36	7.87	8.18	8.50	8.20	8.12	7.88	8.25	7.62	7.88	7.88	7.62	7.52	7.75
Common and Medium	6.10	6.38	6.20	6.12	5.59	6.20	5.80	6.25	6.12	6.12	5.50	6.07	5.38	5.62	5.62	5.62	5.32	5.56
Heifers:																		
Good and Choice	6.28	6.50	6.40	6.38	5.75	6.39	6.00	6.25	6.25	6.25	5.39	6.19	5.25	5.90	6.00	6.00	5.06	5.79
Common and Medium	5.25	5.50	5.22	5.18	4.95	5.29	4.75	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.27	4.94	4.25	4.80	4.88	4.88	4.06	4.70
Cows:																		
Good	5.15	5.38	5.02	4.92	4.56	5.12	4.75	4.88	4.88	4.88	4.28	4.85	3.38	4.12	4.25	4.25	3.22	4.00
Common and Medium	4.58	4.75	4.30	4.12	3.94	4.44	3.75	4.00	4.00	4.00	3.26	3.94	2.75	3.30	3.38	3.38	2.50	3.20
Calves (steers):																		
Good and Choice	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	7.22	7.38	7.30	7.25	6.79	7.29	7.12	7.38	7.38	7.38	6.97	7.32
Medium	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	5.55	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.24	5.70	5.38	5.38	5.38	5.38	5.25	5.38
Hogs:																		
Light light, 140–160 lb.:																		
Good and Choice	9.14	8.92	8.32	8.42	7.99	8.70	8.83	8.70	8.14	8.07	7.60	8.44	8.63	8.22	7.72	7.78	7.28	8.09
Medium	8.81	8.52	7.95	8.06	7.64	8.34	8.44	8.36	7.72	7.68	7.06	8.05	8.28	7.88	7.40	7.40	6.84	7.74
Light weight, 160–180 lb.:																		
Good and Choice	9.41	9.14	8.62	8.71	8.31	8.97	9.07	8.94	8.38	8.35	7.88	8.68	9.03	8.67	8.18	8.24	7.73	8.53
Medium	9.17	8.90	8.38	8.46	8.04	8.73	8.86	8.73	8.05	7.94	7.64	8.40	8.67	8.38	7.83	7.95	7.46	8.21
180–200 lb.:																		
Good and Choice	9.51	9.30	8.79	8.90	8.49	9.12	9.34	9.17	8.62	8.60	8.17	8.93	9.22	8.95	8.41	8.48	8.02	8.76
Medium	9.30	9.08	8.59	8.74	8.28	8.93	9.13	9.01	8.47	8.43	7.96	8.76	9.00	8.70	8.20	8.28	7.80	8.54
Medium weight:																		
200–220 lb., Good and Choice	9.61	9.35	8.88	9.00	8.61	9.21	9.46	9.27	8.69	8.68	8.30	9.02	9.40	9.09	8.58	8.65	8.19	8.93
220–250 lb., Good and Choice	9.65	9.38	8.90	9.03	8.67	9.24	9.49	9.28	8.69	8.68	8.32	9.04	9.49	9.15	8.61	8.69	8.27	8.98
Heavy weight:																		
250–290 lb., Good and Choice	9.64	9.37	8.87	9.00	8.69	9.22	9.49	9.28	8.69	8.67	8.32	9.03	9.51	9.15	8.61	8.69	8.28	8.99
290–350 lb., Good and Choice	9.63	9.34	8.80	8.95	8.69	9.18	9.48	9.28	8.68	8.67	8.31	9.03	9.51	9.15	8.60	8.69	8.28	9.09
Packing sows:																		
275–350 lb., Good	8.92	8.79	8.30	8.31	8.05	8.58	8.79	8.74	8.18	8.12	7.78	8.46	8.87	8.64	8.25	8.25	7.82	8.50
350–425 lb., Good	8.88	8.77	8.27	8.27	8.02	8.55	8.69	8.64	8.11	8.01	7.70	8.37	8.83	8.61	8.22	8.22	7.79	8.47
425–550 lb., Good	8.84	8.71	8.23	8.22	7.98	8.50	8.58	8.53	7.99	7.92	7.56	8.26	8.80	8.58	8.18	8.20	7.76	8.44
275–550 lb., Medium	8.41	8.25	7.71	7.86	7.49	8.06	8.13	8.20	7.62	7.50	7.14	7.86	8.28	8.15	7.75	7.72	7.20	7.98
Slaughter pigs, 100–140 lb.:																		
Good and Choice	8.17	8.10	7.49	7.78	6.88	7.88	7.75	7.75	7.45	7.38	6.42	7.58	8.54	7.28	6.80	6.79	6.36	7.35
Medium	7.67	7.73	7.11	7.40	6.34	7.48	6.52	6.62	6.41	6.38	5.39	6.48	7.25	6.81	6.28	6.33	5.86	6.67
Feeder and stocker pigs, 70–140 lb., Good and Choice	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	6.17	6.08	5.79	5.92	5.12	5.99
Packer and shipper purchases:																		
Average weight, lb	233	212	210	240	227	238	222	223	228	231	221	227	222	224	227	229	215	225
Average cost	$9.47	$9.20	$8.72	$8.87	$8.35	$9.09	$9.38	$9.26	$8.64	$8.60	$8.12	$8.89	$9.28	$8.96	$8.39	$8.48	$7.87	$8.83
Slaughter sheep and lambs:																		
Lambs:																		
90 lb. down:																		
Good and Choice	8.62	8.14	8.04	7.89	8.51	8.17	8.25	7.93	7.76	7.60	8.04	7.88	8.51	7.97	7.94	7.70	8.31	8.03
Common and Medium	7.52	7.12	7.10	7.07	7.46	7.20	6.93	6.72	6.40	6.12	6.74	6.54	7.30	6.80	6.75	6.46	7.05	6.83
90–98 lb., Good and Choice	8.49	8.10	7.98	7.86	8.38	8.11	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Yearling wethers, 90–110 lb.:																		
Good and Choice	7.75	7.42	7.19	7.05	7.60	7.35	7.08	6.65	6.48	6.12	6.88	6.58	6.75	6.62	6.50	6.50	6.81	6.59
Medium	7.03	6.86	6.56	6.42	6.94	6.72	6.20	5.80	5.60	5.25	5.99	5.71	6.00	5.88	5.75	5.75	6.03	5.84
Ewes:																		
90–120 lb., Good and Choice	5.01	5.20	4.88	4.88	4.78	4.99	4.79	4.92	4.85	4.50	4.71	4.76	4.78	4.75	4.50	4.42	4.57	4.61
120–150 lb., Good and Choice	4.75	4.90	4.68	4.68	4.50	4.75	4.60	4.72	4.63	4.25	4.46	4.55	4.50	4.45	4.20	4.12	4.32	4.32
All weights, Common and Medium	3.82	3.98	3.75	3.75	3.70	3.82	3.12	3.22	3.08	2.88	3.12	3.08	3.12	3.12	3.12	3.12	3.06	3.12
Feeding lambs (range) 50–75 lb., Good and Choice	7.12	6.81	6.62	6.62	6.89	6.79	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	6.88	6.28	6.12	6.02	6.85	6.32

Average Weekly Wholesale Prices of Western Dressed Fresh Meats and Cured Pork and Pork Products, March 1935

Based on Mean of Daily Price Range

[In dollars per 100 pounds]

Classification	Chicago, week ended—				New York, week ended—			
	Mar. 9, 1935	Mar. 16, 1935	Mar. 23, 1935	Mar. 30, 1935	Mar. 9, 1935	Mar. 16, 1935	Mar. 23, 1935	Mar. 30, 1935
Beef and Veal								
Beef:								
Steer:								
300–500 lb.: [1]								
Choice	18.00	18.20	16.90	17.00	19.30	18.90	17.60	18.10
Good	16.50	16.95	15.50	15.55	17.80	17.60	16.45	16.85
Medium	14.50	15.10	13.95	13.85	15.90	15.90	14.85	15.35
Common	12.75	13.25	12.40	12.10	14.00	13.85	12.90	13.60
500–600 lb.:								
Choice	18.50	18.40	17.35	17.25	19.55	19.30	18.15	18.10
Good	17.00	17.15	15.90	15.80	18.30	17.90	16.80	17.10
Medium	14.75	15.20	14.25	14.10	16.30	16.05	14.90	15.35
Common	12.75	13.25	12.45	12.10	13.75	13.70	13.00	13.35
600–700 lb.:								
Choice	18.50	18.40	17.40	17.30	19.55	19.30	18.15	18.60
Good	17.00	16.95	16.05	15.85	18.55	18.15	16.90	17.35
Medium	15.00	15.00	14.55	14.35	16.65	16.35	15.30	15.85
700 lb. up:								
Choice	19.00	19.00	18.45	17.75	19.55	19.35	18.25	18.60
Good	17.75	17.75	16.95	16.30	18.55	18.25	17.05	17.60
Cow:								
Good	12.50	12.50	12.40	12.50	13.00	13.40	13.05	13.35
Medium	11.50	11.50	11.30	11.50	12.00	12.40	12.05	12.35
Common	10.50	10.50	10.30	10.25	10.75	11.05	10.65	11.10
Veal carcasses, skin on:								
Choice	15.10	14.40	13.50	13.25	17.10	15.40	15.30	15.50
Good	13.50	12.95	12.30	11.75	15.70	14.20	14.10	14.50
Medium	12.10	11.50	11.20	10.50	14.20	12.80	13.10	13.40
Common	10.80	10.50	10.20	9.50	12.80	11.10	11.10	11.40
Lamb and Mutton								
Lamb:								
38 lb. down:								
Choice	17.20	16.20	15.50	16.50	18.70	15.70	16.30	17.10
Good	16.20	15.20	14.50	15.50	17.70	14.70	15.10	16.10
Medium	15.20	14.30	13.50	14.25	16.70	13.70	14.10	15.10
Common	14.35	13.60	12.50	13.00	15.70	12.40	13.10	14.10
39–45 lb.:								
Choice	17.20	16.20	15.50	16.00	17.90	14.90	15.90	16.50
Good	16.20	15.20	14.50	15.00	16.90	13.90	14.90	15.50
Medium	15.20	14.30	13.50	14.00	15.90	12.90	13.70	14.50
Common	14.35	13.60	12.50	13.00	14.90	11.80	12.50	13.50
46–55 lb.:								
Choice	16.20	15.30	15.00	15.50	16.90	14.30	14.90	15.50
Good	15.20	14.45	14.25	14.50	15.90	13.30	13.90	14.50
Mutton (ewe), 70 lb. down:								
Good	10.50	10.50	10.50	10.50	12.20	12.05	12.35	12.30
Medium	9.50	9.50	9.50	9.50	11.15	10.90	10.90	10.90
Common	8.50	8.50	8.50	8.50	10.10	9.60	9.50	9.40
Fresh Pork Cuts								
Hams, 10–14 lb. average	18.40	18.10	16.50	17.30	19.50	19.75	19.50	19.50
Loins:								
8–10 lb. average	21.30	23.10	19.35	19.55	22.30	22.20	20.45	19.40
10–12 lb. average	20.95	22.75	18.90	19.50	22.30	22.20	20.45	19.40
12–15 lb. average	19.65	21.20	17.75	18.00	21.10	21.00	18.95	18.25
16–22 lb. average	18.10	19.00	16.40	16.70	19.50	19.70	17.70	16.95
Shoulders, New York style, skinned, 8–12 lb. average	17.40	18.25	16.45	16.20	18.30	18.55	17.55	17.20
Butts, Boston style, 4–8 lb. average	20.75	22.20	19.35	19.05	22.10	22.30	20.40	19.60
Spareribs, half sheet	15.40	15.90	14.10	13.70	15.50	15.50	14.90	14.30
Cured Pork and Pork Products								
Hams, smoked, regular, No. 1:								
8–10 lb. average	20.88	21.50	21.00	21.00	20.50	20.50	20.50	20.50
10–12 lb. average	20.25	20.75	20.75	20.75	20.50	20.50	20.50	20.50
12–14 lb. average	20.38	20.75	20.75	20.75	20.50	20.50	20.50	20.50
14–16 lb. average	20.88	21.25	21.25	21.25	20.75	21.00	21.00	21.00
Hams, smoked, regular, No. 2:								
8–10 lb. average	19.25	19.62	19.62	19.62	18.55	18.50	18.50	18.50
10–12 lb. average	19.25	19.50	19.50	19.50	18.55	18.50	18.50	18.50
12–14 lb. average	19.12	19.50	19.50	19.50	18.55	18.88	18.50	18.50
14–16 lb. average	------	------	------	------	18.78	19.25	18.88	18.88
Hams, sm'k'd, skinned, No. 1.								
16–18 lb. average	21.88	22.38	22.38	22.38	22.00	22.25	22.25	22.25
18–20 lb. average	21.62	22.12	22.12	22.12	21.75	21.75	21.75	21.75
Hams, sm'k'd, skinned, No. 2.								
16–18 lb. average	18.50	18.75	18.75	18.75	19.00	18.50	18.50	18.50
18–20 lb. average	18.25	18.50	18.50	18.50	18.50	18.50	18.50	18.50
Bacon, smoked, No. 1, dry cure:								
6–8 lb. average	26.88	27.25	27.25	27.50	27.60	28.00	28.00	28.00
8–10 lb. average	26.88	27.62	27.62	27.62	27.60	28.00	28.00	28.00
Bacon, smoked, No. 1, S. P. cure:								
8–10 lb. average	24.75	25.50	25.50	25.50	23.90	24.00	24.00	24.00
10–12 lb. average	------	------	------	------	23.90	24.00	24.00	24.00
Picnics, smoked, 4–8 lb. average	16.00	16.75	16.75	16.75	16.38	16.00	16.00	16.00
Backs, dry salt, 12–14 lb. average	14.25	13.75	13.75	13.75	15.50	16.00	16.00	16.00
Lard, refined, hardwood tubs	15.00	14.62	14.50	14.50	15.25	15.75	15.75	15.25
Lard substitutes, hardwood tubs	13.50	13.50	13.50	13.50	13.75	13.75	13.75	13.50
Lard, refined, 1-lb. carton	15.50	15.25	15.25	15.25	15.75	16.25	16.25	16.00

[1] Includes heifers, 450 lb. down, at Chicago

Dairy and Poultry

Stocks, Imports, and Exports of Evaporated and Condensed Milk [1]

Stocks on Mar. 1, with Comparisons; Imports and Exports During February, with Comparisons

Stocks	Mar. 1, 1935	Feb. 1, 1935 [1]	Mar. 1, 1934 [1]
	1,000 lb.	*1,000 lb.*	*1,000 lb.*
Evaporated (case goods): Total stocks	28,914	59,791	168,502
Condensed (case goods): Total stocks	5,153	8,068	6,394
Condensed (bulk goods): Total stocks	4,213	5,635	7,657
	February 1935	January 1935	February 1934
IMPORTS	*1,000 lb.*	*1,000 lb.*	*1,000 lb.*
Evaporated milk	0	0	[2]
Condensed milk	18	6	40
EXPORTS			
Evaporated milk	2,642	2,679	2,597
Condensed milk	599	499	253

[1] Revised figures include late reports. [2] Less than 1,000 pounds.

Production of Evaporated and Condensed Milk Reported by Manufacturers, February 1935

Commodity	Comparison of production (pounds) for same firms					
	Previous year			Previous month		
	Firms	February 1935	February 1934	Firms	February 1935	January 1935
Evap. case goods	33	116,101,618	94,123,355	40	120,428,691	115,063,154
Cond. case goods	7	4,901,515	4,355,285	7	4,901,515	4,541,471
Cond. bulk goods	24	5,895,219	5,427,911	26	5,995,539	6,619,557

The current month's figures include reports from evaporated and condensed milk firms operating practically all factories manufacturing the classes of milk indicated.

Wholesale Prices of Evaporated and Condensed Milk

February and January 1935

Geographic section	Unsweetened evaporated milk (per case of 48 14½-ounce cans)		Sweetened condensed (per case of 48 14-ounce cans)		Sweetened condensed unskimmed (bulk per 100 pounds)	
	February	January	February	January	February	January
New England	$2.89	$2.72	$4.78	$4.84	$7.50	$7.10
Middle Atlantic	2.85	2.69	4.62	4.62	8.25	7.86
South Atlantic	2.84	2.68	4.93	4.93	7.50	7.10
East North Central	2.78	2.62	5.25	5.25	7.36	6.95
West North Central	2.78	2.63	------	------	7.24	6.93
South Central	2.82	2.65	4.46	4.46	7.50	7.12
Western (North)	2.82	2.68	5.39	4.90	7.50	7.00
Western (South)	2.83	2.70	5.39	4.90	7.25	7.00
United States:						
1935	2.83	2.67	4.77	4.73	7.52	7.13
1934	2.57	2.56	4.90	4.95	6.85	6.64

Wholesale Selling Prices (Case Goods) f. o. b. Distributing Points

February and January 1935

Distributing point	Evaporated milk (per case of 48 14½-ounce cans)		Condensed milk (per case of 48 14-ounce cans)	
	February	January	February	January
Boston	$2.90	$2.73	$4.73	$4.82
New York	2.90	2.73	4.63	4.64
Philadelphia	2.88	2.73	4.82	4.82
Chicago	2.82	2.64	5.25	5.25
Cleveland	2.81	2.63	----------	----------
St. Louis	2.83	2.63	----------	----------
Kansas City	2.84	2.65	----------	----------
Minneapolis-St. Paul	2.81	2.64	----------	----------
Atlanta	2.84	2.66	----------	----------
New Orleans	2.83	2.66	3.98	4.02
Denver	2.83	2.66	----------	----------
Seattle	2.82	2.66	----------	----------
San Francisco	2.83	2.65	5.39	4.90
Los Angeles	2.82	2.65	5.39	4.90

Prices to Producers at Condenseries for 3.5 Percent Milk

February and January 1935

[In dollars per 100 pounds]

Geographic section	By manufacturers of case goods		
	February 1935	January 1935	February 1934
Middle Atlantic	$1.71	$1.63	$1.37
South Atlantic	1.53	1.40	1.04
East North Central	1.60	1.48	1.14
West North Central	1.55	1.41	1.05
South Central	1.51	1.38	1.01
Western (North)	1.40	1.36	.95
Western (South)	1.53	1.45	.93
United States	1.57	1.46	1.10

Dealers' Prices for Standard Grade Milk Testing 3.5 Percent Butterfat

Used for City Distribution as Milk and Cream

[Delivered f. o. b. local shipping point or at country plant [1]]

Section	Number of local markets	Range of prices per 100 pounds	Average price	Comparison of prices for same markets			
				Number of local markets	Average for—		
					April 1935	March 1935	April 1934
New England	13	$2.14–$3.09	$2.77	13	$2.77	$2.80	$2.55
Middle Atlantic	17	1.92– 2.45	2.29	17	2.29	2.29	2.04
East North Central	31	1.26– 2.28	1.83	30	1.84	1.84	1.57
West North Central	21	1.55– 2.71	1.84	19	1.84	1.82	1.42
South Atlantic	16	1.68– 3.58	2.44	16	2.44	2.44	2.29
East South Central	7	1.80– 2.10	1.92	7	1.92	2.01	1.80
West South Central	7	1.58– 2.30	2.03	6	2.00	2.04	1.59
Mountain	7	1.65– 1.92	1.78	7	1.78	1.82	1.61
Pacific	11	1.60– 2.12	1.82	11	1.82	1.85	1.64
United States	130	1.26– 3.58	2.07	126	2.07	2.09	1.81

[1] The prices at country points apply to milk delivered direct by farmers in their own cans to local milk shipping stations and nearby city milk plants. "Basic" prices are used for cities where a surplus plan or pooling plan is in effect, and where net prices are not yet determined. The price per 100 pounds may be reduced to cents per quart by dividing by 46.53.

Retail Prices of Special Milk, Cream, and Buttermilk

April 1935

City	Special milk, per quart	Certified milk, per quart	Light cream (18–25 percent B. F.), per half pint	Cultured buttermilk, per quart
	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
Boston	14–17	22	12–13	10
New York	16	19	14–15	
Philadelphia	14	18	12	11
Pittsburgh	13	20	14	
Cleveland	13–14	18	14	10
Chicago	12–15	16	14	11
Minneapolis	11–13	16	12	6–12
St. Louis	15	16	10–14	8–15
Washington	15–20	20	15–17	13
Jacksonville	16	17	15	12
New Orleans	14	20	10	10
Memphis	12	15	13	6
Portland	12		14–15	12
San Francisco	15	17	15–20	11
Average of above cities:				
April 1935	14.21	18.00	13.64	10.54
April 1934	13.57	18.00	13.12	9.42

Lowest stocks of evaporated milk on record are revealed in the summary of reports submitted by manufacturers in March to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. Total stocks of this class of goods on March 1 amounted to but 28,914,000 pounds, compared with 112,936,000 pounds last year, a decrease of over 75 percent. The previous low record for stocks was on May 1, 1933, when manufacturers held 37,000,000 pounds. The reduction during February this year was 51.6 percent, compared with a 32.4 percent reduction during February last year.

Report of Fluid Milk Market for April 1935

Wholesale and Retail Milk Prices at Cities

State	City	Dealers' buying price at city for 3.5 per cent butterfat	Selling price [1]				Prevailing butterfat test of milk sold by dealers
			On routes			At retail stores	
			Wholesale trade		Family trade		
		Bulk	Bulk	Bottles	Bottles	Bottles	
		Cents per qt.	Cents per qt.	Cents per qt.	Cents per qt.	Cents per qt.	Percent
Ala.	Birmingham	[2] 5.59		11	14	13	4.3
	Mobile		5		12	10	4.0
Ark.	Little Rock	3.76	7	10	12	12	4.6
Calif.	Los Angeles	[2] [3] 4.66	6.9	7.5–8	10–11	9	3.6–4.2
	San Diego	[2] 5.05	8.3	9.25–9.5	12	11	4.0
	San Francisco	[2] 4.15–4.66	7.5–7.75	8	12	10	3.6–4.0
Colo.	Colo. Springs	[2] 4.32	8	9	11	10–11	3.4–3.8
	Pueblo	[2] 4.06	8	8.5	11	10	3.8
Conn.	Hartford	[2] 6.32	10	10.5	13	12	3.8–4.0
	New Haven	[2] 6.32	9.5–10	10.5	13	12–13	
Del.	Wilmington	[2] 5.16	8	10	11	11	
D. C.	Washington	[2] 5.87	7.5–10	10–11	13	12–13	4.0–4.2
Fla.	Jacksonville	[2] 6.45–6.98	10	13	15	15	4.0–5.0
	Miami	[2] 7.78–8.23	10–12.5	12–14	14–16	16	4.0–4.2
	Tampa		12.5	13	15	15	3.5–4.4
Ga.	Macon	3.61	6.25	7.5	10	10	4.3
Ill.	Chicago	[2] 5.48	8–8.5	9.5	11	11	3.6
	Peoria	[2] 4.26	7	9	11	11	3.7
	Rockford	[2] 3.98	8	8	10	10	3.7
Ind.	Evansville	[2] 4.00	7.5	8	9.5	9–10	3.88
	Fort Wayne	[2] 3.65	6.25	6	7	6–7	3.9
	Indianapolis	3.29	6.5	7–8	10	8–9	3.7–4.0
	South Bend	[2] 4.41	8	9	11	11	3.8–3.9
Iowa	Burlington	[2] 4.30	7.5	8.5	10	10	4.0
	Davenport	[2] 4.08	7	8	10	10	3.8
	Des Moines	[2] 4.30	8	8	10	9–10	3.8
	Sioux City	[2] 4.13	7	8	10	9–10	3.8
Kans.	Kansas City	[2] 3.87–4.04	8	8–10	10–12	10–12	3.8–4.8
	Topeka	[2] 4.51	7.5	8	10	9–10	3.8
Ky.	Lexington	[2] 4.30			10–11	9	
	Louisville	[2] 4.60			[4] 12	[4] 11–12	4.0
La.	Alexandria	[2] 4.94	10	10	12	12	4.0
	New Orleans	[2] 4.47	7	8	11	9	4.0
Md.	Baltimore	[2] 5.11			12	12	
	Cumberland	[2] 6.23	8.75	10	12	12	4.2–4.4
Mass.	Boston	[2] 7.33	9	10.5	13	12	3.9–4.0
	Lowell	[2] 7.07			13	12	
	Springfield	[2] 7.03	9.5	10.5	14	12	4.0
Mich.	Detroit	[2] 5.33			12	12	
	Grand Rapids	[2] 4.51	8	8.5	10	10	3.5–4.0
	Kalamazoo	[2] 4.30	7.5	8	10	10	4.0
	Lansing	[2] 3.98	8	8	10	10	3.7
Minn.	Minneapolis	[2] 4.19	7	8.25	10	10	3.5–3.6
	St. Paul	[2] 4.19	7	8.25	10		3.7
	Winona	[2] 5.82	8.5	8.75	10	10	3.7
Miss.	Meridian		7.5	8–10	10–12	12	
Mo.	Kansas City	[2] 4.90	6.25–8	9–10	12	11–12	3.8–4.0
	St. Louis	[2] 4.84	7.5	10	12	11–12	3.8–3.9
Mont.	Butte	[2] 4.13	6.25	8	10	10	3.4–3.7
	Lewistown		7.5		9	9	3.6
Nebr.	Lincoln	[2] 4.06	7	8	10		
	Omaha	[2] 4.30	7	8	10	9–10	3.8
N. H.	Portsmouth	4.60	9.5	9.5	12	11–12	3.9
N. J.	Newark	[2] [5] 5.27			13	12	3.5
N. Y.	Albany	[2] 5.27	9	10–12	12	12	4.05
	Buffalo	[2] 5.27	8–9	10	12	12	3.6–3.7
	New York	[2] 6.78–7.10	9	9.75–10.75	13	11–12	3.6
	Rochester	[2] 5.27	8–9	10	12	11–12	3.9
N. C.	Greensboro	[2] 5.16	10	12.5	15	15	4.1
	Winston-Salem	[2] 6.02	10	12	14	14	4.3
Ohio	Cincinnati	[2] 4.92	8.5	10	12	11	3.7
	Cleveland	[2] 5.01	8.5	9	11	10	3.5
	Dayton	[2] 4.08	7.5	8	10	9–10	4.0
	Toledo	[2] 4.62	8	9	11	10	3.5
Okla.	Tulsa	[2] 5.42			11		
Ore.	Portland	[2] 4.15	8.5	8.75	11	10	4.0
Pa.	Philadelphia	[2] 5.59			11	10–11	
	Pittsburgh	[2] 5.33	0	0.5	11	10	3.5–4.0
	Reading	[2] 4.81	8.5–10.5	0	11	11	3.6–3.7
	Scranton	[2] 5.16	8.75–9	9.5	11		3.7–3.8
R. I.	Newport	[2] 7.14		12	14	14	4.03
S. Dak.	Sioux Falls	[2] 3.76	7.5	6–8	8–10	8–10	3.5–4.0
Tenn.	Knoxville	[2] 3.87	8	8.5	10	10	4.1–4.5
	Memphis	[2] 4.51	6.25	8	10	10	4.0–4.2
	Nashville	[2] 3.98	7	10	10	9–10	
Tex.	Dallas	[2] 4.84	9	9	11	10	4.2–4.3
	El Paso	4.84	8	9	11	9–11	3.6–4.0
Utah	Salt Lake City	[2] 4.00	7.5	8.25	10	10	3.4–4.0
Va.	Roanoke	[2] 5.37	8.75	10	12	12	4.0
Wash.	Seattle	[2] 4.15	7	7.5	10	9–10	
W. Va.	Clarksburg	[2] 3.87	7.5	8	10	10	3.8–4.0
	Huntington	[2] 4.26	7.5–7.75	6–8	9–10	9	3.5–4.1
	Wheeling	[2] 4.58	0	0	11	11	3.5–4.0
Wis.	Madison	[2] 5.16	8.5	9	10	10	3.8
	Milwaukee	[2] 4.51	8	8.5	10	10	3.7–3.75
	Racine	[2] 4.41	8	8.5	10	10	3.6

[1] These prices represent grade B milk or the grade which is most commonly sold, the butterfat content varying from 3.4 to 5 percent in different cities.
[2] Price for basic milk, i. e., price paid for milk used for city distribution.
[3] Applies to part of supply only. Some milk bought on basis of current butter market.
[4] Effective since March 7.
[5] At country plants.

Stocks, Imports, and Exports of Dry Milk

Stocks on Mar. 1, 1935, with Comparisons; Imports and Exports during February, with Comparisons

Stocks[1]	Mar. 1, 1935	Feb. 1, 1935[2]	Mar. 1, 1934[2]
	Pounds	*Pounds*	*Pounds*
Whole milk	1,695,059	1,952,514	2,265,250
Skim milk	21,770,414	28,192,960	22,547,613
Buttermilk	5,675,553	6,081,502	4,071,989
Dry milk	**February 1935**	**January 1935**	**February 1934**
	Pounds	*Pounds*	*Pounds*
Imports	82,370	36	324
Exports	223,385	212,883	129,966

[1] Total stocks include all stocks held by manufacturers reporting.
[2] Revised figures include late reports.

Production of Dry Milk Reported by Manufacturers, February 1935

[Includes reports from principal firms operating dry-milk factories in the United States]

Classes of dry milk	Comparison of production (pounds) for same firms					
	Previous year			Previous month		
	Firms[1]	February 1935	February 1934	Firms[1]	February 1935	January 1935
Whole milk	21	1,202,784	793,520	21	1,202,784	1,441,101
Skim milk	124	16,560,856	19,852,313	127	16,648,902	17,083,572
Part skim	2	25,057	84,270	2	25,057	22,218
Cream powder	2	1,825	0	2	1,825	558
Buttermilk	73	2,730,714	3,493,417	73	2,723,158	2,383,815

[1] Figures showing number of firms do not represent number of factories since some firms operate more than 1 factory.

Wholesale Selling Prices of Dry Milk During February 1935

[Cents per pound]

Dry skim milk (bulk goods)—reported sales		Dry whole milk (bulk goods)—reported sales		Dry buttermilk (bulk goods)—reported sales	
Price	Pounds	Price	Pounds	Price	Pounds
3–3½	471,085	14 –14½	273,708	2½–3½	81,434
3½–4	1,209,404	14½–15½	214,666	3½–4½	2,539,686
4–4½	4,303,071	15½–16½	401,327	4½–5½	128,980
4½–5	787,947	16½–17½	268,953	5½–6½	90,483
5–5½	1,122,182	17½–18½	118,829	6½–7½	119,575
5½–6	1,737,804	18½–19½	1,640	7½–8½	10,735
6–6½	11,343,773				
6½–7	2,091,645				
7–7½	301,275				
7½–8	1,165,653				

Month	Average price	Total pounds	Average price	Total pounds	Average price	Total pounds
February 1935	5.71	24,533,842	15.71	1,279,123	4.27	2,970,893
January 1935	5.37	21,979,018	15.22	1,265,174	4.37	2,660,050
February 1934	5.18	24,885,937	13.64	1,118,980	4.53	3,924,273

Wholesale prices reported on case goods were as follows: Dry whole milk (1 pound cans) 33.68 cents per pound.

Wholesale Selling Prices f.o.b. Distributing Points, February 1935

Dry Skim Milk

	Cents per lb.		Cents per lb.
Boston	4.5–8.5	Kansas City	7.21–8
New York	4 –8.5	Seattle	4 –7.25
Philadelphia	4.5–8.5	Portland	6.32–7.12
Chicago	4 –8.5	Los Angeles	6.45–8.5
Cleveland	4.2–8	San Francisco	7.12–7.25
St. Louis	4 –8.5		

Cold-Storage Holdings of Dairy and Poultry Products at 26 Markets,[1] March 1935

Date	Butter	American cheese	Eggs	Dressed poultry
	Pounds	*Pounds*	*Cases*	*Pounds*
Mar. 2	4,274,115	45,071,068	30,769	81,049,372
Mar. 9	3,414,702	43,593,441	114,380	76,483,429
Mar. 16	3,298,007	43,335,214	285,306	72,042,542
Mar. 23	3,031,293	41,947,449	533,516	67,651,089
Mar. 30	3,268,722	41,122,679	822,216	63,815,699

[1] New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, Providence, Buffalo, Syracuse, Cuba, N. Y., Lowville, N. Y., Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Detroit, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Milwaukee, Plymouth, Marshfield, Green Bay, Wis., Denver, Kansas City, St. Louis, Omaha, Portland, Seattle, San Francisco, and Los Angeles.

Creamery Butter Production, February 1935

State	Estimated, production, February 1935	Estimated, production, January 1935	Estimated, production, February 1934	February 1935 estimate compared with—	
				January 1935	February 1934
	Pounds	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Percent*	*Percent*
Minnesota	18,070,900	18,039,700	22,005,000	+0.17	−17.83
Iowa	14,061,100	14,112,700	16,021,000	−.37	−12.24
Wisconsin	8,003,500	7,980,100	9,594,000	+.29	−16.58
Nebraska	4,825,100	5,120,000	5,777,000	−5.76	−16.48
Kansas	4,535,800	4,898,900	5,359,000	−7.42	−15.37
Missouri	4,483,200	5,213,400	3,974,000	−14.01	+12.81
North Dakota	2,065,200	1,737,600	2,237,000	+18.85	−7.63
South Dakota	1,617,000	1,579,600	2,262,000	+2.36	−28.52
Montana	738,700	779,600	698,000	−5.25	+5.83
Michigan	4,430,800	4,949,000	4,911,000	−10.48	−9.78
Illinois	4,404,800	4,584,700	3,712,000	−3.93	+18.66
Indiana	4,872,200	5,394,400	4,148,000	−9.69	+17.45
Ohio	4,063,900	4,378,200	3,805,000	−7.18	+6.80
Kentucky	1,040,700	1,102,400	790,000	−5.60	+31.73
Virginia	211,800	282,300	200,000	−21.93	+5.90
Tennessee	724,900	698,800	613,000	+3.73	+18.25
Mississippi	245,700	258,600	279,000	−4.99	−11.94
Texas	1,339,900	1,432,200	1,719,000	−6.45	−22.06
Oklahoma	2,348,800	2,195,900	2,267,000	+6.96	+3.60
New York	360,400	426,200	857,000	−15.44	−57.95
Vermont	132,900	147,100	158,000	−9.66	−15.89
Pennsylvania	593,000	715,500	471,000	−17.13	+25.90
Colorado	1,435,200	1,536,600	1,646,000	−6.60	−12.81
Utah	607,200	662,800	857,000	−8.39	−29.15
California	5,081,100	4,602,000	5,940,000	+10.41	−14.46
Washington	1,924,000	2,153,300	1,855,000	−10.65	+3.71
Oregon	1,779,300	1,872,500	1,986,000	−4.98	−10.41
Idaho	1,675,000	1,780,500	1,909,000	−5.93	−12.26
Other States	1,331,200	1,495,200	1,377,000	−10.97	−3.33
Total	97,003,300	100,129,800	107,427,000	−3.13	−9.71

Wholesale Prices of Fresh Creamery Butter (92 Score), March 1935

[Cents per pound]

Day	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco
1	33¼	31¼	34¼	34¼	33
2	32¼	30	33¼	33¼	33
4	31½	30	32½	32½	31½
5	31¾	30	32½	32¾	31½
6	31¼	29¾	32	32¼	32½
7	31½	29¾	32½	32½	32½
8	32¾	30½	33¼	33¾	33
9	32¾	31	33¾	33¾	33
11	32¾	31	33¾	33¾	32½
12	31¾	31	32¾	32¾	32½
13	31¼	30½	32¼	32¼	31½
14	31¼	30½	32¼	32¼	30
15	31	30	32	32	29
16	30¼	29	31¼	31¼	29
18	29½	29	31	30½	28
19	29¾	29¾	31	30¾	28
20	29½	29¾	31	30½	28
21	30	30½	31	31	28
22	31	30¾	32	32	30
23	31½	31¼	32½	32½	30
25	32½	31¾	33½	33½	28
26	32½	31¾	33½	33½	28
27	32¼	32½	33½	33¼	28½
28	33	33	34	34	28½
29	33½	33	34–34½	34½	28½
30	33½	33	34–34½	34½	28½
Average:					
March 1935	31.68	30.78	32.68	32.68	30.25
February 1935	36.20	34.98	37.00	37.20	34.73
March 1934	25.35	24.52	26.41	26.35	23.37

Receipts and Storage Holdings of Butter at 5 Markets

[In thousand pounds; i. e., 000 omitted]

Receipts

Period and market	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Total
Week ended March 2	3,942	3,184	1,040	1,279	414	9,859
Week ended March 9	3,634	3,498	1,285	1,548	469	10,434
Week ended March 16	4,447	3,410	1,343	1,333	570	11,103
Week ended March 23	3,705	3,411	1,206	1,187	454	9,953
Week ended March 30	3,208	3,199	1,200	1,410	604	9,621
March 1935	16,111	14,569	5,196	5,664	2,226	43,766
March 1934	22,961	16,770	7,657	8,467	2,072	57,927
March 5-year average (1930-34)	22,925	18,470	6,229	7,896	2,173	57,693
January-March, inc. 1935	53,566	38,293	19,892	18,694	5,604	136,049
January-March, inc. 1934	64,368	44,102	20,471	23,203	5,249	157,393

Storage Holdings

Period and market	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Total
Week ended March 2	1,345	1,295	549	221	3	3,413
Week ended March 9	1,313	837	439	178	3	2,770
Week ended March 16	1,747	520	349	241	7	2,864
Week ended March 23	1,634	431	268	252	11	2,596
Week ended March 30	2,260	285	131	331	(1)	3,007
March 1, 1935	1,276	1,454	621	222	3	3,576
March 1, 1934	5,441	14,464	722	317	1,754	22,698
5-year average March 1	3,971	6,768	1,251	1,177	446	13,613

[1] Less than 1,000 pounds.

Receipts of Butter at 4 Markets by State of Origin, March 1935

State of origin	New York	Chicago	Philadelphia	Boston	Total, 4 markets
	Pounds	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Pounds*
Arkansas		81,530			81,530
Colorado		84,899			84,899
District of Columbia	240				240
Illinois	1,368,047	1,035,040	492,920	708,162	3,604,169
Indiana	324,922	305,288	100,906	33,607	764,723
Iowa	5,243,349	2,424,670	724,217	1,114,630	9,506,866
Kansas	620,766	1,737,258	41,700	99,134	2,498,858
Kentucky	40,605	6,205	27,851	63,140	137,801
Maine				64	64
Maryland	21,600		21,223		42,823
Michigan	372,170	396,342	20,761	4,245	793,518
Minnesota	4,286,239	2,482,360	3,269,691	1,812,372	11,850,662
Mississippi		143			143
Missouri	275,790	855,053	139,538	62,894	1,333,275
Nebraska	2,152,030	751,897	482,188	190,880	3,576,995
New Jersey	2,160			50,415	52,575
New York	65,380		56,302	44,240	165,922
North Dakota	119,527	161,430	76,911	96,828	454,696
Ohio	380,948	50	308	252,551	633,857
Oklahoma	52,581	361,070		206,256	619,907
Pennsylvania	94,080	3,461	1,427		98,968
South Dakota	108,773	422,009	20,035	208,221	759,038
Tennessee	60,697			20,000	80,697
Texas	39,205	42,000			81,205
Vermont				97	97
Virginia	3,744		7,047		10,791
Wisconsin	478,129	3,417,785	181,203	228,642	4,305,762
Total: March 1935	16,110,982	14,568,490	5,664,231	5,196,378	41,540,081
Total: March 1934	22,960,510	16,770,037	8,466,780	7,656,598	55,853,955

American Cheese Production, February 1935

Geographic section	Estimated production, February 1935	Estimated production, January 1935	Estimated production, February 1934	February 1935 estimate compared with—	
				January 1935	February 1934
	Pounds	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Percent*	*Percent*
New York State	223,900	254,200	680,000	−11.92	−67.08
New England, including Pennsylvania and New Jersey	16,200	25,600	65,000	−36.72	−75.08
South Atlantic	68,300	65,900	75,000	+3.64	−8.94
South Central	948,300	1,004,900	1,296,000	−5.64	−26.83
Wisconsin [1]	12,299,400	11,225,000	13,962,000	+9.57	−11.91
East North Central, not including Wisconsin	2,024,500	2,079,900	2,185,000	−2.67	−7.35
West North Central	1,097,800	1,196,200	1,613,000	−8.23	−31.95
Mountain	938,300	998,600	1,109,000	−6.04	−15.40
Pacific	1,875,900	1,920,200	1,992,000	−2.31	−5.83
United States total	19,492,600	18,770,500	22,977,000	+3.84	−15.17

[1] Estimate based on receipts of American cheese at Wisconsin warehouses.

Wholesale Prices of No. 1 Fresh American Cheese (Single Daisies), March 1935

[Cents per pound]

Day	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco [1]
1	17¾–18	17¼–17½	18¼–18½	18 –18½	16½
2	17¾	17¼–17½	18	18 –18½	16½
4	17¾	17 –17¼	18	17½–18	16½
5	17¾	17 –17¼	18	17½–18	16½
6	17¾	17 –17¼	18	17½–18	16½
7	17¾	17 –17¼	18	17½–17¾	16½
8	17¾	17 –17¼	18	17½–17¾	16½
9	17¼–17½	16½–16¾	18	17½	16½
11	17¼–17½	16½–16¾	17½	17 –17½	16½
12	17 –17¼	16½–16¾	17½	17 –17½	16½
13	17 –17¼	16½–16¾	17½	17 –17½	16½
14	17 –17¼	16½–16¾	17½	17 –17½	16½
15	17 –17¼	16½–16¾	17½	17 –17¼	16½
16	16¾–17	16 –16¼	16¾–17	16¾–17	16½
18	16¾–17	16 –16¼	16¾–17	16¾–17	15½
19	16¾–17	16 –16¼	16¾–17	16¾–17	15½
20	16½–17	16 –16¼	16¾–17	16¾–17	15½
21	16¼–16½	16 –16¼	16¾–17	16¾–17	15½
22	16¼–16½	16 –16¼	16¾–17	16¾–17	15½
23	16¼–16½	15½–15¾	16¾–17	16½	15½
25	16¼–16½	15½–15¾	16¾–17	16½	15½
26	16 –16½	15½–15¾	16¾–17	16½	15½
27	16 –16½	15½–15¾	16¾–17	16½	15½
28	16 –16½	15½–15¾	16¾–17	16 –16½	15½
29	16 –16½	15½–15¾	16¾–17	16 –16½	15½
30	16 –16½	15½–15¾	16¾–17	16 –16½	15½
Average: March 1935	16.99	16.39	17.35	17.10	16.04
Average: February 1935	18.01	17.62	18.24	18.32	18.14
Average: March 1934	15.33	14.74	16.10	15.86	12.93

[1] Flats.

Receipts and Storage Holdings of Cheese at 5 Markets

Receipts

[In thousand pounds; i. e., 000 omitted]

Period and market	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Total
Week ended March 2	910	346	305	439	222	2,222
Week ended March 9	739	394	317	340	248	2,038
Week ended March 16	790	422	257	295	148	1,912
Week ended March 23	619	738	305	365	180	2,207
Week ended March 30	871	572	250	283	172	2,148
March 1935	3,183	2,300	1,260	1,348	864	8,955
March 1934	3,844	2,053	1,269	1,657	1,115	9,938
March 5-year average (1930-34)	4,310	3,435	1,225	1,799	1,039	11,809
January-March, inclusive, 1935	13,788	6,773	4,466	5,694	2,581	33,302
January-March, inclusive, 1934	15,477	7,864	4,219	5,649	2,883	36,092

Storage Holdings

Period and market	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Total
Week ended March 2	5,361	4,331	1,437	822	217	12,168
Week ended March 9	5,245	4,242	1,293	816	225	11,821
Week ended March 16	5,136	4,181	1,194	811	197	11,519
Week ended March 23	4,868	4,096	1,076	811	162	11,013
Week ended March 30	4,736	4,041	1,167	811	169	10,924
March 1, 1935	5,398	4,420	1,434	900	230	12,382
March 1, 1934	6,064	4,399	1,610	819	638	13,530
5-year average, March 1	5,459	3,437	1,127	631	405	11,059

Receipts of Cheese at 4 Markets by State of Origin, March 1935

State of origin	New York	Chicago	Philadelphia	Boston	Total, 4 markets
	Pounds	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Pounds*
California	60				60
Colorado		12,966			12,966
Illinois	587,088	371,942	140,556	30,602	1,130,188
Indiana	104,128	126,884	24,568		255,580
Iowa		19,396	123		19,519
Kansas		120			120
Massachusetts	6,530	145			6,675
Michigan	46,396	525	338	260	47,519
Minnesota	127	1,820	26,375	1,875	30,197
New Jersey	1,359				1,359
New York	140,797	245,823	61,609	91,683	539,912
Ohio	5,390	756	1,350	2,432	9,928
Pennsylvania	1,048	1,323		268	2,639
Vermont	7,250				7,250
Wisconsin	2,282,454	1,518,288	1,093,459	1,132,785	6,026,986
Canada	552				552
Total: March 1935	3,183,179	2,299,988	1,348,378	1,259,905	8,091,450
Total: March 1934	3,844,155	2,052,731	1,656,742	1,268,713	8,822,371

Receipts of American Cheese at Wisconsin Warehouses

	1935	Corresponding week in 1934	Corresponding 5-year average weekly receipts [1]
	Pounds	*Pounds*	*Pounds*
Week ended Mar. 2	2,831,941	3,216,964	3,439,316
Week ended Mar. 9	3,062,354	3,478,719	3,587,459
Week ended Mar. 16	3,077,463	4,190,179	3,787,684
Week ended Mar. 23	3,134,774	4,078,034	3,813,726
Week ended Mar. 30	3,175,396	3,884,475	3,934,697
Total since Jan. 1	35,248,791	40,778,350	43,649,908

[1] 1930–34, inclusive.

Receipts and Storage Holdings of Dressed Poultry at 5 Markets

Receipts

[In thousand pounds; i. e., 000 omitted]

Period and market	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Total
Week ended March 2	1,997	232	523	281	331	3,364
Week ended March 9	2,144	225	534	500	283	3,686
Week ended March 16	1,701	240	270	135	210	2,556
Week ended March 23	2,286	101	503	283	131	3,304
Week ended March 30	1,737	211	556	265	136	2,905
March 1935	8,567	859	1,987	1,207	922	13,542
March 1934	9,705	1,452	2,617	1,745	916	16,435
March 5-year average (1930–34)	9,871	2,310	3,352	2,130	544	18,207
January–March, inclusive, 1935	30,615	4,890	7,868	5,266	5,045	53,684
January–March, inclusive, 1934	38,831	7,137	10,217	6,600	4,518	67,303

Storage Holdings

Week ended March 2	26,668	18,329	6,580	3,361	3,035	57,973
Week ended March 9	25,465	17,361	6,281	3,193	2,963	55,263
Week ended March 16	24,306	16,077	5,871	2,949	2,575	51,778
Week ended March 23	23,405	14,886	5,422	2,780	2,171	48,664
Week ended March 30	22,130	13,924	5,025	2,609	1,974	45,662
March 1, 1935	27,104	18,594	6,614	3,398	3,197	58,907
March 1, 1934	28,717	18,346	7,918	3,012	2,194	60,187
5-year average, March 1	27,034	23,452	6,639	3,862	2,173	63,160

Receipts of Dressed Poultry at 4 Markets by State of Origin, March 1935

State of origin	New York	Chicago	Philadelphia	Boston	Total, 4 markets
	Pounds	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Pounds*
Alabama		1,078			1,078
Arkansas				56,733	56,733
California	1,592,874	923			1,593,797
Colorado	24,000	6,586		52,200	82,786
Delaware	518			704	1,222
District of Columbia	34				34
Florida	1,001				1,001
Georgia	28,410	213			28,623
Illinois	1,237,218	15,639	69,480	392,807	1,715,144
Indiana	539,384	5,723	20,000	121,657	686,764
Iowa	864,208	101,551	173,349	191,213	1,330,321
Kansas	548,726	109,237	72,374	183,454	913,791
Kentucky	154,070	18	170,779	21,293	346,160
Maine	63			5,729	5,792
Maryland	1,297		222		1,519
Massachusetts	24,804				24,804
Michigan	606	2,071		18,212	20,889
Minnesota	634,574	124,103	182,419	325,416	1,266,512
Mississippi		194			194
Missouri	207,924	38,532		65,552	312,008
Montana		6,045	115		6,160
Nebraska	515,517	114,938	65,487	119,042	814,984
New Hampshire				736	736
New Jersey	22,200			1,025	23,225
New York	955,275	22,668	91,067	21,415	1,090,425
North Carolina	458		6,200		6,658
North Dakota	50,356	91,401	26,899	61,458	230,105
Ohio	37,888	88			37,976
Oklahoma	539,013	27,294	47,163	158,250	762,725
Pennsylvania	84,771				84,771
Rhode Island	14,037				14,037
South Carolina	3,575		297		3,872
South Dakota		49,490	24,949	81,175	155,614
Tennessee	186,699	1,470	140,875		329,044
Texas	266,233	120,829	68,391	105,985	561,438
Utah		105			105
Virginia	16,649		1,946		18,595
Wisconsin	24,012	16,941	44,454	3,379	88,786
Wyoming		1,911			1,911
Total:					
March 1935	8,567,394	859,048	1,206,462	1,987,435	12,620,339
March 1934	9,704,916	1,452,491	1,744,699	2,617,273	15,519,379

Receipts and Storage Holdings of Eggs at 5 Markets

Receipts

[In thousands cases; i. e., 000 omitted]

Period and market	New York	Chicago	Boston	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Total
Week ended March 2	174	70	28	40	16	328
Week ended March 9	167	84	37	31	17	336
Week ended March 16	145	98	34	31	16	324
Week ended March 23	137	134	43	39	17	370
Week ended March 30	127	147	30	37	18	359
March 1935	634	480	153	149	73	1,489
March 1934	777	648	164	162	75	1,826
March 5-year average (1930–34)	817	558	179	171	76	1,801
January–March, inclusive, 1935	1,511	730	318	332	205	3,096
January–March, inclusive, 1934	1,795	1,039	370	385	209	3,798

Storage Holdings

Week ended March 2	18	3	2	1	(1)	24
Week ended March 9	61	23	1	4	1	90
Week ended March 16	109	71	3	14	3	200
Week ended March 23	149	144	14	29	4	340
Week ended March 30	159	252	22	41	6	480
March 1, 1935	9	2	1	(1)	(1)	12
March 1, 1934	12	14	1	1	(1)	28
5-year average, March 1	58	22	4	9	(1)	93

Receipts of Eggs at 4 Markets by State of Origin, March 1935

State of origin	New York	Chicago	Philadelphia	Boston	Total, 4 markets
	Cases	*Cases*	*Cases*	*Cases*	*Cases*
Alabama	13	2			15
Arkansas	802	3,841		1,024	5,667
California	20,126	1,200	1,200	600	23,126
Connecticut	2,485			219	2,704
Delaware	6,084		2,252		8,336
District of Columbia	391				391
Florida	21				21
Georgia	8				8
Idaho	3,578				3,578
Illinois	46,572	93,840	6,140	14,347	162,899
Indiana	37,396	15,439	1,979	8,042	62,856
Iowa	67,469	104,465	4,614	26,235	202,783
Kansas	19,266	17,577	2,016	18,774	57,633
Kentucky	4,099	4,325	1,386	64	9,874
Louisiana	7,086				7,086
Maine	2			5,274	5,276
Maryland	9,329		8,570		17,899
Massachusetts	454			1,571	2,025
Michigan	3,487	6,369	403	2,531	12,790
Minnesota	29,319	46,483	7,548	5,775	89,125
Mississippi		809			809
Missouri	23,253	76,226	6,005	27,603	133,087
Montana		5			5
Nebraska	13,421	20,367	1,711	10,262	45,761
New Hampshire	2			5,540	5,542
New Jersey	23,193		4,060		27,253
New York	84,903		2,633	126	87,662
North Carolina	354		7,768		8,122
North Dakota	1,655	132	210	1,240	3,237
Ohio	26,001		6,767	5,952	38,720
Oklahoma	966	8,094	8	4,231	13,299
Oregon	12,000	1,200			13,200
Pennsylvania	36,925		35,926	100	72,951
Rhode Island	2			42	44
South Carolina	174		14		188
South Dakota	2,048	10,187		1,192	13,427
Tennessee	29,161	5,041	12,017	400	46,619
Texas	34,138	1	3,309	8,519	45,967
Utah	27,611				27,611
Vermont	17			2,314	2,331
Virginia	11,115		28,350	1	39,466
Washington	41,368	2,400	600		44,368
West Virginia	299		2,480		2,779
Wisconsin	6,591	59,683	9	801	67,084
Wyoming	441	1			1
Parcel post		380	535	113	1,549
Total:					
March 1935	633,625	480,067	148,560	152,892	1,415,144
March 1934	776,723	647,531	161,515	163,572	1,749,341

Casein markets in March held full steady to firm. Demand showed some improvement and was generally more active. Reserve stocks are light and production is said not to equal that of a year ago. Quotations on domestic casein in car lots, delivered Atlantic seaboard, were mostly 12½ cents on 30 mesh, and 13 cents on 100 mesh. Jobbing prices were one-half cent higher. Argentine casein was offered at 8½ cents c. i. f., but only small imports were anticipated and those will go into special trade channels.

Car-Lot Shipments of Fruits and Vegetables by States

Shipments during March and for season to Mar. 31, with Comparisons

Shipping district	March 1935	March 1934	March 1933	Season total to Mar. 31, 1935	Season total to Mar. 31, 1934	Season total to Mar. 31, 1933	Total last season
APPLES (WESTERN STATES)							
California, central district	89	98	120	1,510	1,188	1,955	1,361
Idaho	42	109	111	3,349	4,850	4,237	4,871
Oregon	146	50	183	3,010	1,654	3,171	1,748
Washington	3,142	2,427	2,954	29,997	23,417	27,431	26,311
Others	0	0	0	1,538	2,250	4,020	2,250
Total	3,419	2,684	3,368	39,404	33,359	40,814	36,541
APPLES (EASTERN STATES)							
Illinois	14	3	3	1,235	870	1,247	870
New York	408	932	783	4,591	5,929	9,363	6,663
Pennsylvania	141	65	196	3,672	1,105	2,826	1,120
Virginia	619	524	523	5,853	5,693	6,506	5,958
West Virginia	52	51	76	3,406	2,629	3,714	2,633
Others	21	106	71	3,599	8,426	6,532	8,477
Total	1,255	1,681	1,652	22,356	24,652	30,188	25,726
SUMMARY FOR WESTERN AND EASTERN STATES	4,674	4,365	5,020	61,760	58,011	71,002	62,267
ASPARAGUS							
California:							
Northern district	137	1,518	310	140	1,594	310	1,963
Central district	66	328	120	74	378	120	577
Imperial Valley (first crop)	27	93	56	27	96	56	96
Georgia	22	2	18	22	2	18	88
South Carolina	44	0	69	44	0	69	497
Others	7	12	0	7	12	0	408
Total	303	1,953	573	314	2,082	573	3,629
BEANS, SNAP AND LIMA							
Florida	1,506	1,321	1,332	4,465	6,829	5,829	9,328
Others	0	17	31	0	22	31	3,744
Total	1,506	1,338	1,363	4,465	6,851	5,860	13,072
BEETS							
Texas	50	151	132	328	599	444	820
Others	8	1	0	15	1	2	463
Total	58	152	132	343	600	446	1,283
CABBAGE (1935 SEASON)							
California:							
Southern district	208	4	89	422	13	109	88
Central district (early)	44	4	4	136	79	31	81
Imperial Valley	13	18	56	35	100	96	100
Florida	1,004	986	1,054	1,253	3,038	2,358	3,347
South Carolina	62	4	280	605	492	540	787
Texas	13	2,897	492	1,935	6,282	2,698	8,240
Others	7	217	72	89	400	187	25,386
Total	1,351	4,130	2,047	4,475	[1] 10,404	[1] 6,019	[1] [2] 38,029
CABBAGE (1934 SEASON)							
New York [3]	633	16	757	9,336	5,614	9,625	5,614
Wisconsin	151	0	34	7,558	2,272	3,291	2,272
Others	6	1	25	21,135	15,035	16,069	15,035
Total	790	17	816	[2] 38,029	22,921	28,985	22,921
CARROTS (1935 SEASON)							
Arizona	157	25	43	566	204	137	302
California:							
Northern district	1	0	0	66	19	0	38
Central district	338	394	156	3,129	3,059	2,334	6,084
Southern district	204	164	66	724	488	286	1,055
Imperial valley	305	715	422	357	1,485	886	2,272
Texas	151	140	227	417	259	571	635
Others	6	0	2	6	0	4	1,682
Total	1,162	1,438	916	5,265	[1] 5,514	[1] 4,218	[1] 12,068
CARROTS (1934 SEASON)							
New York	221	216	176	1,380	1,186	1,048	1,427
Others	6	20	17	10,688	8,139	8,421	8,144
Total	230	236	193	12,068	9,325	9,469	9,571
CUCUMBERS							
Florida (first crop)	18	5	97	18	5	97	549
Others	13	16	13	25	33	27	3,397
Total	31	21	110	43	38	124	3,946

Shipping district	March 1935	March 1934	March 1933	Season total to Mar. 31, 1935	Season total to Mar. 31, 1934	Season total to Mar. 31, 1933	Total last season
CAULIFLOWER							
California:							
Central district	718	807	1,522	3,348	3,701	3,528	4,294
Southern district	4	1	3	782	582	1,152	621
Oregon	17	58	0	920	1,209	538	1,209
Others	0	0	0	1,001	1,517	1,808	1,517
Total	739	866	1,525	6,051	7,009	7,026	7,641
CELERY							
California:							
Northern district	4	26	79	3,639	3,195	1,426	3,195
Southern district	229	482	670	1,163	1,798	2,148	2,598
Central district	4	49	84	890	799	652	885
Florida	2,085	2,180	1,828	4,003	4,468	4,494	8,352
Others	0	1	0	0	3	0	4,174
Total	2,322	2,738	2,661	9,695	10,263	8,720	19,104
GREENS (EXCEPT SPINACH)							
California: Central district	92	60	96	840	499	452	522
Florida	55	26	14	103	47	22	54
Virginia, Norfolk section	120	42	289	506	508	1,169	592
Others	6	173	29	444	843	618	930
Total	273	301	428	1,893	1,897	2,261	2,098
LETTUCE AND ROMAINE							
Arizona	2,877	3,270	703	8,695	6,084	3,935	6,461
California:							
Central district	68	208	4	6,842	5,440	4,774	22,917
Southern district	3	27	3	937	947	1,028	1,004
Imperial Valley	1,242	741	2,282	5,467	8,292	9,225	8,292
Florida	50	68	86	308	413	446	420
Others	3	11	36	648	674	1,146	4,579
Total	4,243	4,325	3,114	22,897	21,850	20,554	43,673
MIXED VEGETABLES							
Arizona	27	11	5	71	32	41	51
California:							
Northern district	25	36	62	44	77	69	285
Southern district	279	183	146	969	477	407	1,562
Central district	456	434	386	1,497	1,112	777	3,485
Imperial Valley	50	47	68	158	273	269	338
Florida	853	655	789	1,587	1,832	2,158	3,813
Georgia	34	17	19	70	40	53	53
Louisiana	64	236	64	193	624	213	1,294
New York	20	9	45	122	67	142	1,771
South Carolina	55	13	63	92	56	132	294
Texas	498	1,814	1,360	2,224	4,126	3,677	6,508
Others	34	71	89	116	194	266	5,456
Total	2,395	3,526	3,096	7,143	8,910	8,204	24,910
ONIONS							
Important States, late crop							
Colorado	29	329	383	1,087	1,709	1,541	1,723
Indiana	84	248	457	918	1,786	4,813	1,827
Michigan	495	561	853	5,976	4,634	4,383	4,913
New York	347	268	116	4,771	2,798	2,427	2,931
Ohio	30	144	187	533	907	1,312	956
Oregon	166	289	181	1,081	1,219	444	1,365
Washington	20	5	21	826	740	409	747
Others	29	163	214	5,120	5,710	4,161	5,722
Total	1,200	2,007	2,412	20,312	19,503	19,490	20,184
SUMMARY FOR ONIONS							
Important States, late crop	1,200	2,007	2,412	20,312	19,503	19,490	20,184
Other States, late crop	6	11	28	94	67	79	67
Early and intermediate crop	0	1	0	9,631	7,591	10,929	7,591
Total	1,206	2,019	2,440	30,037	27,161	30,498	27,842
PEARS							
California: Central district	30	36	35	2,012	1,444	1,909	1,481
Oregon	98	131	86	2,620	2,749	3,514	2,833
Washington	32	37	84	4,468	4,346	3,682	4,350
Others	0	16	11	7,928	5,527	8,634	5,530
Total	160	223	216	17,028	14,066	17,739	14,194
PEPPERS							
Florida	191	162	438	589	654	1,392	1,612
Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	488
Total	191	162	438	589	654	1,392	2,100

See footnotes at end of table.

Car-Lot Shipments of Fruits and Vegetables by States—Continued

Shipments during March and for season to Mar. 31, with Comparisons—Continued

Shipping district	March			Season total to Mar. 31, 1935	Season total to Mar. 31, 1934	Season total to Mar. 31, 1933	Total last season
	1935	1934	1933				
PEAS, GREEN							
California:							
Central district (first crop)	146	711	58	407	742	53	1,796
Imperial valley (first crop)	156	117	95	319	397	103	397
Florida	125	93	51	482	739	331	745
Others	0	55	24	135	80	31	4,004
Total	427	976	228	1,343	1,958	523	6,942
POTATOES (1935 SEASON)							
California: Southern district	1	1	8	5	4	9	381
Florida	726	1,086	751	1,258	1,546	957	5,705
Others	1	110	18	68	175	69	185,012
Total	728	1,197	777	1,331	[1] 1,725	[1] 1,035	[1] 191,098
POTATOES (1934 SEASON)							
Late crop (18 surplus States)							
California:							
Northern district	254	274	87	4,626	2,351	1,553	2,531
Central district	73	118	79	2,024	2,876	1,963	2,876
Colorado	103	1,847	801	3,132	10,721	6,853	12,395
Idaho	3,001	3,966	3,438	22,537	23,403	17,733	30,066
Maine	6,620	6,516	7,436	41,032	36,809	31,528	48,756
Michigan	1,096	583	1,180	8,216	3,404	6,865	5,129
Minnesota	2,658	3,753	4,598	7,261	15,320	12,086	17,123
Montana	20	65	43	134	259	137	369
Nebraska	277	1,237	670	3,371	8,252	1,204	9,316
Nevada	30	50	37	79	152	181	201
New York:							
Long Island	1	16	33	1,755	2,880	2,533	2,882
Other	1,044	572	999	4,433	3,399	4,428	4,271
North Dakota	1,240	1,489	1,852	4,807	7,676	3,886	8,390
Oregon	820	558	307	5,419	3,172	2,217	4,110
Pennsylvania	31	52	18	350	523	174	573
Washington	722	522	606	5,194	4,836	4,402	5,920
Wisconsin	2,056	668	1,262	13,139	4,232	7,710	5,218
Wyoming	28	247	122	662	2,200	794	2,436
Others	5	35	157	836	1,264	1,806	1,275
Total	20,079	22,568	23,725	129,007	133,729	111,053	163,837
Other States, late crop							
Ohio	29	10	10	66	35	91	36
Vermont	30	13	13	84	56	86	70
Others	12	28	7	445	823	752	837
Total	71	51	30	595	914	929	943
SUMMARY FOR POTATOES							
Late crop (18 surplus States)	20,079	22,568	23,725	129,007	133,729	111,053	163,837
Other States, late crop	71	51	30	595	914	929	943
Intermediate crop	0	20	3	23,741	20,155	23,609	20,170
Early crop	0	3	0	37,755	25,811	22,303	25,811
Total	20,150	22,642	23,758	[4] 191,098	180,609	157,894	210,761
SPINACH							
California:							
Northern district	4	0	17	4	0	17	0
Central district	15	0	7	50	9	48	9
Southern district	4	0	0	15	0	2	1
South Carolina	23	4	5	29	30	11	30
Texas	882	1,701	1,810	3,369	5,622	5,563	6,202
Virginia: Norfolk section	73	0	25	495	398	678	1,174
Others	12	6	0	215	52	41	671
Total	1,013	1,711	1,864	4,177	6,111	6,360	8,087
STRAWBERRIES							
Florida	400	618	421	1,201	1,555	1,939	1,830
Louisiana	15	43	234	15	43	234	2,778
Others	6	67	8	8	74	8	7,447
Total	421	728	663	1,224	1,672	2,181	12,055
SWEETPOTATOES							
California: Central district	24	14	0	600	473	520	481
Delaware	102	191	116	595	902	694	991
Kentucky	11	5	33	140	91	265	104
Louisiana	99	130	75	1,573	838	778	1,017
New Jersey	102	90	44	1,234	1,436	825	1,554
North Carolina	47	68	92	384	324	488	415
Tennessee	200	102	335	1,332	942	1,760	1,086
Texas	17	66	52	72	330	206	349
Others	53	111	112	3,473	4,282	5,015	4,321
Total	655	777	859	9,403	9,618	10,551	10,318

Shipping district	March			Season total to Mar. 31, 1935	Season total to Mar. 31, 1934	Season total to Mar. 31, 1933	Total last season
	1935	1934	1933				
TOMATOES							
Florida:							
East Coast	1,031	1,606	1,203	1,321	3,033	2,660	5,050
Other	84	349	621	352	1,229	1,167	2,655
Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	17,411
Total	1,115	1,955	1,824	1,673	4,262	3,827	25,116
TURNIPS AND RUTABAGAS							
Minnesota	93	42	60	635	512	353	515
Washington	14	57	19	128	195	198	198
Others	9	7	5	537	361	355	363
Total	116	106	84	1,300	1,068	906	1,076
Grand total [5]	46,259	57,902	55,145	429,179	396,936	395,095	532,606

[1] Not included in grand total.
[2] Includes 1,257 cars for emergency relief.
[3] Does not include Long Island.
[4] Includes 4,541 cars for emergency relief.
[5] The season grand total shows the total movement of the products given in this table and does not include the totals of fruits and vegetables not actively moving during the month.

Car-Lot Shipments of Citrus Fruit for March

State and product	March			February		
	1935	1934	1933	1935	1934	1933
GRAPEFRUIT						
Arizona	130	209	67	137	100	68
California:						
Southern district	43	137	27	41	96	40
Central district	26	36	1	0	20	2
Imperial Valley	41	54	27	28	40	23
Florida	2,127	2,161	2,783	1,552	1,918	1,990
Texas	666	117	28	987	196	361
Total	3,033	2,714	2,933	2,745	2,370	2,484
Additional movement by truck reduced to car-lot equivalents:						
Florida	371	236	(1)	284	187	(1)
Texas	349	205	73	342	242	203
LEMONS						
California:						
Northern district	9	0	0	1	0	0
Southern district	1,794	1,183	976	1,397	674	533
Central district	41	34	3	80	45	1
Total	1,844	1,217	979	1,478	719	534
MIXED CITRUS FRUIT						
California:						
Southern district	225	170	190	192	121	136
Central district	3	0	1	4	0	0
Florida	793	1,150	1,092	912	1,272	1,201
Others	9	35	9	80	44	63
Total	1,030	1,355	1,292	1,188	1,437	1,400
ORANGES AND SATSUMAS						
Arizona	39	14	0	14	2	0
California:						
Southern district	5,622	5,461	4,572	4,966	2,864	3,875
Central district	164	5	0	123	1	1
Florida	3,401	5,256	3,893	3,338	4,025	3,562
Others	2	31	4	72	22	53
Total	9,228	10,767	8,469	8,513	6,914	7,491
Additional movement by truck reduced to car-lot equivalents:						
California:						
Central district	3	(1)	(1)	18	(1)	(1)
Southern district	233	(1)	(1)	195	(1)	(1)
Florida	944	963	(1)	934	918	(1)
Texas	77	195	38	247	178	32
TANGERINES						
Florida	62	63	372	272	374	638
Others	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	63	63	372	272	374	638
Additional movement by truck reduced to car-lot equivalents:						
Florida	33	19	(1)	79	103	(1)

[1] Unavailable.

Cold-Storage Holdings

Report of April 1, 1935

Cold-storage holdings of apples were the equivalent of 2,667,000 barrels. This amount exceeds that of a year ago by 536,000 but is 89,000 less than the 5-year average.

Stocks of cold-pack fruit were 1,569,000 pounds above April 1 last year but less than the 5-year average by 8,791,000 pounds. Creamery butter holdings were reduced to the lowest point since 1927. They were 10,013,000 less than last year and 11,115,000 less than the 5-year average.

American cheese holdings were reduced during March by 6,202,000 pounds. They exceeded stocks of a year ago by 4,885,000 and the 5-year average by 9,686,000 pounds.

Total stocks of all varieties of cheese were heavier than a year ago by 696,000 and the 5-year average by 6,325,000 pounds.

The seasonal into-storage movement of shell eggs was 1,465,000 cases. The movement for the same period a year ago was 1,198,000 cases and for the 5-year average 1,372,000. Holdings were in excess of a year ago by 291,000 cases but less than the 5-year average by 74,000.

Frozen egg stocks were 853,000 pounds above April 1 last year but 16,588,000 pounds below the 5-year average.

The total case equivalent of both shell and frozen eggs exceeded last year's stocks by 315,000 cases but was below the 5-year average by 548,000.

Total stocks of frozen poultry were 8,977,000 pounds heavier than a year ago and 4,806,000 above the 5-year average.

Total holdings of frozen and cured beef were heavier than last year by 42,000,000 and the 5-year average by 41,000,000 pounds.

Cold-Storage Holdings on Apr. 1, 1935, with Comparisons

[Thousands; i.e., 000 omitted]

Commodity	Mar. 1, 5-year average, 1930–34	Mar. 1, 1934	Mar. 1, 1935	Apr. 1, 5-year average, 1930–34	Apr. 1, 1934	Apr. 1, 1935
Fruits						
Apples:						
Barrels	621	353	338	315	188	174
Boxes	8,242	6,591	7,839	5,151	3,766	4,242
Baskets	4,000	3,923	5,084	2,172	2,062	3,238
Total (barrels)[1]	4,702	3,858	4,646	2,756	2,131	2,667
Pears:						
Boxes	494	259	284	259	85	148
Baskets	34	56	12	14	24	4
Frozen and preserved fruits (pounds)	60,684	49,164	50,540	56,540	46,180	47,749
Dairy Products						
Cream (40-qt. cans):						
40 percent	-----	104	12	-----	82	5
20 percent	-----	1	1	-----	1	-----
Butter (pounds):						
Creamery	28,176	36,853	8,110	16,453	15,351	5,338
Packing stock	-----	-----	5	-----	-----	4
Cheese (pounds):						
American	50,909	54,934	60,943	45,055	49,856	54,741
Swiss, including block	7,270	8,412	3,566	6,301	7,465	2,954
Brick and Munster	638	557	638	618	1,123	728
Limburger	687	727	753	573	734	644
All other varieties	4,090	3,189	4,256	3,977	2,975	3,782
Total	63,594	67,819	70,156	56,524	62,153	62,849
Eggs						
Shell (cases)	201	90	34	1,573	1,208	1,499
Frozen (pounds)	51,347	39,181	39,413	56,126	38,679	39,532
Frozen, case equivalent (cases)[2]	1,467	1,119	1,126	1,603	1,105	1,129
Total case equivalent both shell and frozen (cases)	1,668	1,209	1,160	3,176	2,313	2,628
Frozen Poultry (pounds)						
Broilers	12,519	10,494	15,651	9,796	7,302	12,542
Fryers	9,561	9,918	11,742	7,643	7,007	9,510
Roasters	31,129	32,377	26,180	23,544	24,900	20,655
Fowls	13,392	11,973	15,852	9,740	7,308	9,660
Turkeys	14,344	19,177	22,973	11,608	14,499	19,844
Ducks	-----	2,252	1,439	-----	987	808
Miscellaneous[3]	22,102	15,585	12,939	16,037	12,194	10,125
Total	103,047	101,776	106,776	78,368	74,197	83,174
Meats (pounds)						
Beef:						
Frozen	44,151	44,481	86,589	38,966	36,259	75,193
In process of cure	10,640	13,747	16,609	9,755	12,383	14,412
Cured	8,226	6,517	7,489	8,444	7,206	8,575
Total	63,017	64,745	110,777	57,165	55,848	98,180
Pork:						
Frozen	214,278	184,330	218,337	209,135	167,456	203,295
Dry salt, in process of cure	68,217	52,645	37,946	54,592	48,126	37,448
Dry salt, cured	56,853	59,937	35,729	60,748	60,412	36,129
Pickled, in process of cure	251,398	250,981	186,590	229,710	215,623	173,828
Pickled, cured	178,183	186,063	187,996	177,073	165,625	176,463
Total	758,929	733,956	666,598	731,267	657,222	627,163
Lamb and mutton, frozen	3,100	3,052	3,506	2,660	2,024	3,206
Miscellaneous meats, frozen and cured	73,510	65,548	89,495	66,987	55,631	78,434
Total meats	898,556	867,301	870,376	858,079	770,725	806,983
Lard	102,796	176,044	110,197	104,880	173,775	104,861

[1] 3 boxes or 3 bushel baskets are considered the equivalent of 1 barrel.
[2] Frozen eggs are converted on the basis of 35 pounds to a case.
[3] Figures on miscellaneous poultry no longer comparable in that ducks were included in these figures previous to July 1, 1932.

Cold-Storage Holdings Apr. 1, 1935, by Sections

[Thousands; i. e., 000 omitted]

Commodity	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific
Fruits									
Apples:									
Barrels	2	84	24	-----	61	1	2	-----	-----
Boxes	219	568	313	93	28	4	37	34	2,946
Baskets	26	1,447	657	191	891	10	12	3	1
Pears:									
Boxes	1	15	5	-----	1	-----	-----	-----	126
Baskets	-----	3	1	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Frozen and preserved fruits (pounds)	2,155	22,751	11,419	2,112	2,374	333	134	70	6,401
Dairy Products									
Cream (40-qt. cans):									
40 percent	-----	4	1	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
20 percent	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Butter (pounds):									
Creamery	447	3,032	558	542	425	186	71	33	44
Packing stock	-----	-----	-----	3	1	-----	-----	-----	-----
Cheese (pounds):									
American	1,856	12,006	35,662	1,049	722	163	576	1,808	899
Swiss, including block	8	437	2,052	96	10	27	65	145	114
Brick and Munster	-----	32	502	93	1	1	19	65	15
Limburger	-----	115	489	6	-----	-----	1	26	7
All other varieties	140	1,772	1,097	105	8	8	45	10	596
Eggs:									
Shell (cases)	28	306	406	313	61	102	88	19	176
Frozen (pounds)	1,497	9,331	10,791	11,146	1,554	1,335	2,519	101	1,258
Frozen Poultry (pounds)									
Broilers	748	4,587	3,124	2,945	263	330	170	25	350
Fryers	675	2,194	3,489	2,580	142	209	85	7	159
Roasters	1,993	10,024	5,488	2,265	280	86	15	11	493
Fowls	613	3,783	2,432	1,475	181	271	301	42	562
Turkeys	2,530	9,710	2,656	965	392	26	205	25	3,335
Ducks	89	283	334	24	46	10	3	-----	19
Miscellaneous	117	6,416	1,198	1,614	310	112	29	2	327
Meats (pounds)									
Beef:									
Frozen	2,012	8,560	32,492	21,904	2,143	445	4,065	859	2,713
In process of cure	20	1,504	8,833	3,435	24	79	377	41	99
Cured	7	1,016	4,999	2,238	92	32	4	95	92
Pork:									
Frozen	8,069	15,560	77,556	79,660	6,914	2,642	4,647	3,591	4,656
Dry salt in process of cure	550	1,785	14,258	12,318	4,159	1,692	1,929	321	436
Dry salt cured	372	720	13,734	16,301	2,556	404	1,182	663	197
Pickled in process of cure	8,095	13,732	64,935	64,520	6,979	2,460	4,920	2,782	5,405
Pickled, cured	5,455	10,529	65,015	78,903	3,760	886	3,601	4,437	3,877
Lamb and mutton, frozen	216	1,115	1,244	407	9	4	19	15	177
Miscellaneous meats, frozen and cured	2,821	7,856	24,417	31,838	3,164	1,155	2,348	2,835	2,000
Lard	7,455	5,197	64,941	18,380	2,935	1,622	1,415	1,084	1,832

Meats Placed in Cure or Frozen During the Month

[Thousands of pounds; i. e., 000 omitted]

Variety	February 5-year average, 1930–34	February 1934	February 1935	March 5-year average, 1930–34	March 1934	March 1935
Beef:						
Frozen	7,626	11,243	15,573	6,947	10,693	13,332
Placed in cure	4,725	5,461	5,577	4,478	5,246	5,017
Pork:						
Frozen	78,287	67,607	48,738	47,360	41,926	38,697
Dry salt, placed in cure	57,767	42,574	31,360	48,040	31,620	25,148
Pickled, placed in cure	185,495	190,754	125,576	157,429	155,302	105,382
Lamb and mutton, frozen	554	514	474	386	446	688

Cold-Storage Holdings on the 1st of Each Month, 1934

[Thousands; i.e., 000 omitted]

Commodity	Jan. 1	Feb. 1	Mar. 1	Apr. 1	May 1	June 1	July 1	Aug. 1	Sept. 1	Oct. 1	Nov. 1	Dec. 1
Fruits												
Apples:												
Barrels	720	501	353	188	87	26				209	872	797
Boxes	11,857	9,239	6,591	3,766	1,965	809				8,279	17,750	13,037
Baskets	7,388	5,680	3,923	2,062	930	298				3,370	10,858	10,555
Total (barrels)[1]	7,135	5,474	3,858	2,131	1,052	395				4,092	10,408	10,328
Pears:												
Boxes	844	461	259	85	35	17	5	714	1,833	1,914	1,604	1,119
Baskets	103	76	56	24	14	2		56	94	233	125	71
Frozen and preserved fruits (pounds)	59,926	55,434	49,164	46,180	39,993	53,512	63,614	76,056	71,536	71,134	70,316	67,712
Dairy Products												
Cream (40-qt. cans):												
40 percent	173	140	104	82	97	120	173	170	148	142	133	90
20 percent	1	1	1	1	1	3	8	10	9	6	6	2
Butter (pounds):												
Creamery [2]	111,249	75,995	36,853	15,351	11,838	27,161	70,148	108,748	120,467	125,047	111,073	81,034
Packing stock							858	923	991	1,025	1,063	648
Cheese (pounds):												
American	77,773	65,476	54,934	49,856	52,217	58,073	79,925	97,018	103,805	108,624	102,832	96,683
Swiss including block	8,509	8,517	8,412	7,465	7,571	6,699	7,797	8,550	9,501	9,145	7,189	5,937
Brick and Munster	598	492	557	1,123	1,192	1,189	1,915	2,040	1,553	1,505	944	787
Limburger	1,206	936	727	734	915	965	1,482	2,017	1,741	1,480	1,409	1,184
All other varieties	3,884	3,368	3,189	2,975	3,555	4,543	5,841	6,217	5,895	6,609	5,634	5,379
Total	91,970	78,789	67,819	62,153	65,450	71,469	96,960	115,842	122,495	127,363	118,008	109,972
Eggs												
Shell (cases)	731	50	90	1,208	4,640	7,819	8,965	8,961	7,938	6,803	4,633	2,380
Frozen (pounds)	61,419	49,910	39,181	38,679	62,632	93,947	116,058	121,564	111,994	99,951	88,715	76,073
Frozen, case equivalent (cases) [3]	1,755	1,426	1,119	1,105	1,789	2,684	3,316	3,473	3,200	2,856	2,535	2,174
Total case equivalent, shell and frozen eggs (cases)	2,486	1,476	1,209	2,313	6,429	10,503	12,281	12,434	11,138	9,659	7,168	4,554
Frozen Poultry (pounds)												
Broilers	15,118	13,343	10,494	7,302	4,473	2,794	3,306	5,783	9,588	14,447	18,515	20,203
Fryers	13,097	11,862	9,918	7,007	3,804	2,279	1,754	1,696	1,849	3,969	8,581	12,590
Roasters	38,156	37,519	32,377	24,900	17,704	12,701	9,598	7,134	5,639	7,272	13,409	23,947
Fowls	18,426	16,113	11,973	7,308	3,351	4,144	7,355	11,061	11,082	11,605	13,937	19,313
Turkeys	15,732	19,941	19,177	14,499	11,154	9,493	8,385	6,648	4,767	3,041	1,763	9,572
Ducks	4,287	3,489	2,252	987	364	568	1,503	2,892	3,666	3,962	3,853	3,749
Miscellaneous poultry	18,687	17,910	15,585	12,194	8,362	7,811	8,708	9,690	9,462	10,966	13,343	16,191
Total	123,503	120,177	101,776	74,197	49,212	39,790	40,609	44,904	46,053	55,262	73,401	105,565
Meats [4] (pounds)												
Beef:												
Frozen	58,377	51,960	44,481	36,259	27,866	24,256	26,988	40,363	62,793	75,580	89,387	105,092
In process of cure	14,904	15,006	13,747	12,383	11,663	11,885	12,325	12,980	11,150	11,332	14,054	17,325
Cured	5,951	5,982	6,517	7,206	7,061	6,405	6,158	8,202	6,127	5,663	4,958	5,536
Total	79,232	72,948	64,745	55,848	46,590	42,546	45,471	61,545	80,075	92,575	108,399	127,953
Pork:												
Frozen	129,763	177,292	184,330	167,436	165,851	166,350	167,969	181,254	151,849	130,245	123,677	158,675
Dry salt in process of cure	51,468	54,674	52,645	48,126	47,624	47,431	43,040	44,210	30,624	30,914	30,308	31,577
Dry salt cured	45,833	56,000	59,937	60,412	59,996	51,019	48,024	47,407	33,158	27,849	20,374	21,329
Pickled in process of cure	235,214	260,083	250,981	215,623	225,568	231,200	236,368	227,866	190,708	179,765	172,449	192,321
Pickled, cured	167,418	182,355	186,063	165,625	157,048	145,568	133,024	142,829	135,671	155,447	157,929	168,011
Total	629,696	730,404	733,956	657,222	656,087	641,568	628,425	643,566	542,010	524,220	504,737	571,913
Lamb and mutton, frozen	4,012	4,183	3,052	2,024	1,281	1,363	1,450	1,518	1,608	2,400	3,074	4,687
Miscellaneous meats, frozen and cured	65,366	71,359	65,548	55,631	51,827	52,599	61,228	78,266	90,190	104,967	106,670	112,834
Total meats	778,306	878,894	867,301	770,725	755,785	738,076	736,574	784,895	713,883	724,162	722,880	817,384
Lard	132,510	168,756	176,044	173,775	179,098	182,240	195,135	209,497	167,155	128,054	105,519	103,827

[1] 3 boxes or 3 bushel baskets are considered the equivalent of 1 barrel.
[2] Amounts of creamery butter purchased by the Federal Surplus Relief Corporation are included in these figures.
[3] Frozen eggs are converted on the basis of 35 pounds to a case.
[4] Stocks of meat purchased under the emergency hog control program and meats from "drought-stricken livestock" purchased by Federal Surplus Relief Corporation are not included in these figures.

Prices Received by Farmers, March 15, 1935

The general level of prices of farm products at local markets on March 15, was 108, or 3 points below the 53-month peak established February 15. The recession resulted from a general decline in crop prices and seasonal downturns in prices of dairy and poultry products. Livestock prices continued to advance, reaching new high levels for the period since 1930. The few exceptions to these general trends were as follows: Prices received for apples advanced slightly, but somewhat less than the usual seasonal amount; orange prices rose much less than usual; and peanut and sweetpotato prices advanced slightly. Prices of chickens increased in line with changes in the prices of meat animals, but this was more than offset by a decline in egg prices which lowered the chicken and egg index 22 points. Declines in the other group indexes of farm commodity prices during the month ended March 15 were as follows: Truck crops, down 26 points; miscellaneous items, down 9; cotton and cottonseed, down 6; and grains, down 3 points. Meat animals, the only group to show a price advance during the month, rose 12 points. The group index for fruit prices did not change.

The failure of fruit prices to make their usual seasonal advance from February to March placed this index 6 points below the level prevailing on March 15, 1934. A sharp drop in tobacco prices lowered the miscellaneous commodities index to a level 6 points under the March 1934 figure for this group. The mid-March indexes for all other groups were considerably higher than a year earlier, however, and the all-farm products group remained 24 points above the level of a year ago. Mid-March truck crop prices were 83 points higher than a year earlier; meat animals were up 51 points; grains, 32; chickens and eggs, 23; dairy products, 19; and cotton and cottonseed prices, 8 points higher. The index for the latter group, however, was held up solely by the sharply higher prices for cottonseed than in March of last year, cotton lint prices having slipped under the level reported in March 1934.

Although prices of most farm products declined from February 15 to March 15, prices of articles bought by farmers advanced 1 point. The preliminary index of prices paid by farmers was placed at 128 percent of its pre-war average as farmers started to lay in supplies of seed and fertilizer for the spring planting season and replace worn-out tillage implements. At 128 percent of pre-war, the index for prices farmers pay was 8 points higher than on March 15, 1934.

Cotton

Average Price of Middling Spot Cotton at 10 Markets, March 1926–35

Market	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
	Cents	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*
Norfolk	18.63	14.00	19.32	20.11	15.27	10.63	6.78	6.36	12.32	11.73
Augusta	18.22	13.79	19.12	19.92	15.16	10.30	6.67	6.45	12.27	11.88
Savannah	18.27	13.99	19.23	20.09	14.89	10.41	6.69	6.27	12.21	11.64
Montgomery	17.63	13.19	18.59	19.45	14.42	9.77	6.24	6.04	11.97	11.55
New Orleans	18.33	14.10	18.94	19.97	14.87	10.59	6.74	6.32	12.16	11.57
Memphis	18.43	13.47	18.43	19.37	14.48	9.74	6.12	6.12	11.90	11.45
Little Rock	17.91	13.46	18.17	19.43	14.29	9.57	5.94	6.06	11.85	11.32
Dallas	18.23	13.18	18.12	19.40	14.27	9.78	6.11	5.92	11.81	11.18
Houston	18.76	14.04	18.78	19.95	14.78	10.31	6.52	6.21	12.18	11.61
Galveston	18.94	14.08	18.86	20.07	14.92	10.37	6.57	6.23	12.20	11.58
Average	18.33	13.74	18.76	19.78	14.74	10.15	6.44	6.19	12.09	11.57

Average of Daily Closing Prices on the Future Exchanges for March 1931–35.

Month	New York					New Orleans				
	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
	Cents	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*
May	10.98	6.78	6.31	12.08	11.38	10.98	6.79	6.33	12.08	11.32
July	11.22	6.95	6.47	12.20	11.43	11.23	6.95	6.48	12.19	11.37
October	11.52	7.17	6.67	12.33	11.12	11.52	7.15	6.68	12.33	11.07
December	11.72	7.34	6.80	12.44	11.19	11.71	7.32	6.81	12.42	11.14
January	11.80	7.42	6.88	12.49	11.23	11.80	7.39	6.87	12.45	11.18

Average Price of Middling Spot Cotton at New York for March 1912–35

	Cents		*Cents*		*Cents*		*Cents*
1912	10.63	1918	33.74	1924	28.39	1930	15.18
1913	12.61	1919	27.74	1925	25.64	1931	10.91
1914	13.27	1920	41.20	1926	19.35	1932	6.85
1915	9.01	1921	11.74	1927	14.32	1933	6.39
1916	11.90	1922	18.32	1928	19.37	1934	12.30
1917	18.46	1923	30.55	1929	21.19	1935	11.47

Average Premiums for Staple Lengths of the Grade No. 5 or Middling, Apr. 5, 1935, with Comparisons

	New Orleans			Memphis		
	Apr. 5, 1935	Apr. 6, 1934	Apr. 7, 1933	Apr. 5, 1935	Apr. 6, 1934	Apr. 7, 1933
	Cents	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*
No. 5 short staple	11.28	12.23	6.47	11.15	11.95	6.40
Length in inches	*Points*	*Points*	*Points*	*Points*	*Points*	*Points*
1 1/16	125	120	75	115	120	65
1 1/8	175	180	105	140	155	85
1 3/16	[1] 250	[1] 265		250	280	185
1 1/4	[1] 375	390		450	490	410

[1] Nominal.

Egyptian Cotton Consumed in the United States

[Equivalent 500-pound bales]

Month	1926–27	1927–28	1928–29	1929–30	1930–31	1931–32	1932–33	1933–34	1934–35
August	17,629	22,469	18,759	20,285	7,673	5,667	6,398	11,387	7,826
September	22,884	19,795	16,297	17,484	7,915	7,096	6,323	8,906	4,514
October	20,812	19,413	20,057	20,107	9,429	6,598	7,858	9,525	10,362
November	16,383	20,507	17,858	18,263	8,980	6,609	7,908	8,990	8,477
December	16,876	18,864	18,603	17,976	10,134	6,509	6,645	6,150	6,803
January	17,297	20,190	22,325	19,646	7,782	6,611	5,908	10,227	8,698
February	17,042	20,435	19,546	17,036	8,377	6,665	6,253	9,281	7,283
March	21,773	17,112	20,515	15,826	8,774	8,263	7,212	10,706	6,933
April	19,527	16,466	20,159	18,156	9,763	6,217	6,427	8,552	
May	22,116	14,943	20,484	15,947	8,630	6,908	9,319	7,380	
June	26,045	13,951	18,646	13,278	8,898	6,626	9,040	6,284	
July	21,354	13,430	20,343	11,761	7,740	6,085	9,634	6,006	
Total	230,768	217,584	232,392	205,765	104,095	79,464	88,805	103,455	

American Cotton Consumption

March 1935, with Comparisons

[Exclusive of linters]

Month	1913–14	1930–31	1931–32	1932–33	1933–34	1934–35	5-year average 1929–30 to 1933–34	Percent this year is of 5-year average
	Bales	*Bales*	*Bales*	*Bales*	*Bales*	*Bales*	*Bales*	*Pct.*
Aug.	432,350	352,626	425,030	404,497	588,982	420,949	465,962	90.3
Sept.	442,435	393,390	464,335	492,742	499,482	295,960	479,157	61.8
Oct.	511,923	443,284	461,023	501,893	504,055	520,310	510,003	102.0
Nov.	456,356	415,315	425,228	502,434	475,247	477,060	471,875	101.1
Dec.	456,262	405,518	415,401	440,439	347,524	413,535	412,313	100.3
Jan.	517,299	450,117	434,726	470,182	508,021	546,787	487,841	112.1
Feb.	455,231	433,376	451,239	441,203	477,046	478,291	459,452	104.1
Mar.	493,354	490,509	488,907	495,183	544,870	481,135	505,423	95.2
Total, 8 mos.	3,765,210	3,384,135	3,565,889	3,748,573	3,945,147	3,634,027	3,792,026	95.8
Apr.	499,646	508,691	366,481	470,359	512,594		478,007	
May	466,744	465,363	332,372	620,561	519,299		482,176	
June	446,145	453,901	322,706	697,261	363,262		448,473	
July	448,333	450,884	278,568	600,641	359,951		413,813	
Total, 12 mos.	5,626,078	5,262,974	4,866,016	6,137,395	5,700,253		5,614,495	

Linters consumed during the month of March 1935 amounted to 66,754 bales, compared with 62,850 bales in February and 73,483 bales in March 1934. Linters consumed during the 8 months ended March 31 amounted to 468,223 bales in 1935, and 518,148 bales in 1934.

Stocks of American Cotton at European Ports

[Compiled from commercial reports]

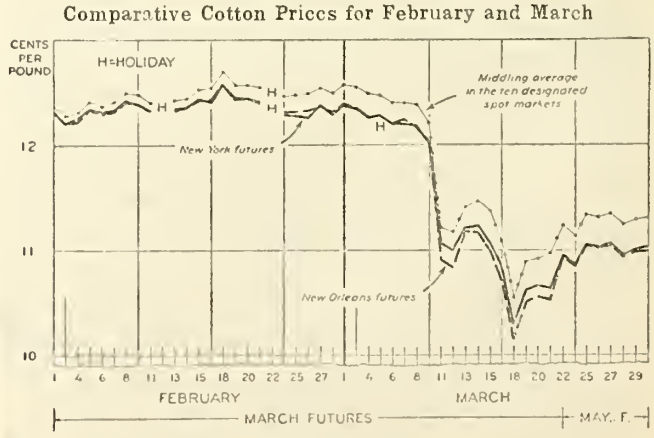
At—	Apr. 3, 1914	Apr. 6, 1929	Apr. 4, 1930	Apr. 10, 1931	Apr. 8, 1932	Apr. 7, 1933	Apr. 6, 1934	Apr. 5, 1935	5-year average [1]
	1,000 bales	*1,000 bales*	*1,000 bales*	*1,000 bales*	*1,000 bales*	*1,000 bales*	*1,000 bales*	*1,000 bales*	*1,000 bales*
Liverpool	1,014	710	380	453	294	435	466	244	406
Manchester	59	74	73	93	126	64	60	48	83
Continent	980	851	854	1,011	680	977	1,003	398	905
Total	2,053	1,635	1,307	1,557	1,100	1,476	1,529	690	1,394

[1] 1930–34.

Stocks of Egyptian cotton at Alexandria, Egypt, on April 5, were reported to be 289,000 bales of approximately 750 pounds gross weight, compared with 395,000 bales on April 6, 1934.

Stocks of Indian cotton at Bombay, India, on April 5, were reported to be 841,000 bales of approximately 400 pounds gross weight, compared with 1,058,000 bales on April 6, 1934

Comparative Cotton Prices for February and March



Exports of American Cotton

Aug. 1, 1934, to Apr. 5, 1935, with Comparisons

[Compiled from Government and commercial reports

To—	Aug. 1, 1913–Apr. 10, 1914	Aug. 1, 1931–Apr. 8, 1932	Aug. 1, 1932–Apr. 7, 1933	Aug. 1, 1933–Apr. 6, 1934	Aug. 1, 1934–Apr. 5, 1935	4-year average 1931–34	Percent this year is of 4-year average
	Bales	*Bales*	*Bales*	*Bales*	*Bales*	*Bales*	*Percent*
Great Britain	3,058,283	1,022,362	1,081,691	1,089,431	605,140	1,037,747	58.3
France	1,026,986	361,679	708,493	693,293	312,658	662,765	47.2
Germany	2,529,731	1,336,383	1,387,481	1,241,484	322,304	1,361,101	23.7
Italy	384,871	545,677	619,338	563,385	392,556	536,078	73.2
Japan	331,008	2,027,621	1,322,600	1,474,395	1,276,458	1,445,613	88.3
Russia	84,648			30,224		14,876	
Spain	227,408	211,981	245,064	219,347	180,234	217,913	86.8
Belgium	165,275	114,426	152,914	104,038	61,066	123,402	49.5
Canada	107,987	137,362	129,393	183,583	170,709	152,063	112.3
Other countries	226,136	[1] 1,342,855	[2] 670,161	[3] 701,801	[4] 477,339	829,635	57.5
Total	8,142,333	7,100,356	6,317,135	6,300,986	3,807,464	6,381,193	69.7

[1] Includes 920,202 bales to China.
[2] Includes 250,940 bales to China.
[3] Includes 231,520 bales to China.
[4] Includes 88,124 bales to China.

Imports of Foreign Cotton

Aug. 1, 1934, to Mar. 30, 1935, with Comparisons

[500-pound bales]

Country of production	1913–14	1930–31	1931–32	1932–33	1933–34	1934–35	5-year average 1929–30 to 1933–34	Percent this year is of 5-year average
Egypt	65,763	7,720	27,295	43,885	67,433	52,725	54,442	96.8
Peru	9,345	1,088	1,676	3,362	3,310	947	4,496	21.1
China	11,563	20,426	4,335	39,356	14,391	2,958	22,325	13.2
Mexico	24,184	3,329	20,338		1,402	1,595	11,681	13.7
India	3,787	18,070	11,332	1,106	12,891	15,524	16,026	96.9
Other countries	515	1,010	1,134	697	624	688	986	69.8
Total	115,157	51,643	65,910	88,406	100,151	74,437	109,956	67.7

Continued declines in exports, large unsold stocks of cotton cloth, and weakness in prices of competing growths in foreign markets were reflected in a sharp drop in the local market price of cotton during the second week of March. At 11.5 cents per pound on March 15, cotton sold for seven-tenths of a cent less than a month earlier and one-fifth of a cent under the price in March 1934. Little cotton probably was sold by farmers at this figure, since this was the season of light sales.

Spot Cotton Quotations for Apr. 6, and Sales during Week of Apr. 1–6, 1935

Price of no. 5 or Middling spot cotton for Apr. 6, the commercial differences in price between no. 5 and other grades of American Upland cotton at each of the 10 markets named, and average differences and prices for the corresponding day in previous years, together with the total number of bales sold during the week of Apr. 1–6, 1935, in each of the markets and total for all the markets, with comparisons, as reported by the cotton exchanges.

Grade	Norfolk	Augusta	Savannah	Montgomery	Memphis	Little Rock	Dallas	Houston	Galveston	New Orleans	Average Apr. 6, 1935	Apr. 7, 1934	Apr. 8, 1933	Apr. 9, 1932	Apr. 11, 1931	Apr. 5, 1930	Apr. 6, 1929
White Standards:	*On* [1]	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*
No. 1 or Middling Fair	60	65	65	60	65	65	80	85	80	65	69	74	63	64	88	100	80
No. 2 or Strict Good Middling	50	50	50	50	55	55	60	70	70	55	57	59	51	51	70	86	60
No. 3 or Good Middling	40	35	35	40	50	50	50	60	50	45	46	47	40	37	52	72	42
No. 4 or Strict Middling	30	25	25	30	30	35	35	35	35	30	31	32	26	22	31	50	29
No. 5 or Middling	11.40	11.73	11.48	11.60	11.20	11.07	10.85	11.35	11.35	11.31	11.33	12.07	6.42	5.86	9.62	15.79	19.24
	Off [1]	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*
No. 6 or Strict Low Middling	40	38	40	35	35	35	40	40	40	30	37	35	25	22	51	72	76
No. 7 or Low Middling	80	85	80	75	75	75	85	85	85	65	79	74	52	48	126	180	161
No. 8 or Strict Good Ordinary [2]	130	135	130	125	130	130	135	135	135	110	130	124	84	81	198	290	250
No. 9 or Good Ordinary [2]	170	175	170	175	180	180	185	185	185	150	176	169	118	111	263	395	340
Extra White:	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*
No. 3 or Good Middling	40	35	35	40	50	50	50	60	50	55	47	48	40	37	52	72	42
No. 4 or Strict Middling	30	25	25	30	30	35	35	35	35	35	32	33	26	22	31	50	29
No. 5 or Middling	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	10	1	1	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even
	Off	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*
No. 6 or Strict Low Middling	40	38	40	35	35	35	40	40	40	30	36	34	25	22	51	72	76
No. 7 or Low Middling	80	85	80	75	75	75	85	85	85	30	76	70	52	48	126	180	161
Spotted:	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*	*On*
No. 3 or Good Middling	30	25	25	25	30	35	25	25	25	30	28	28	24	22	21	23	24
No. 4 or Strict Middling	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	Even	*Off* 3	*Off* 5	*Off* 1
	Off	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*	*Off*			
No. 5 or Middling	40	38	40	35	35	35	40	40	40	30	37	35	26	23	51	72	76
No. 6 or Strict Low Middling [2]	80	85	80	75	75	75	85	85	85	65	79	74	52	48	129	173	161
No. 7 or Low Middling [2]	130	135	130	125	130	130	135	135	135	110	130	124	85	81	198	280	240
Yellow Tinged:																	
No. 2 or Strict Good Middling	Even	Even	Even	Even	10	10	Even	Even	Even	Even	2	2	Even	Even	5	10	4
No. 3 or Good Middling	40	40	35	25	20	20	20	20	20	30	27	25	22	26	55	55	45
No. 4 or Strict Middling	55	55	50	40	40	40	40	40	40	45	45	41	37	39	90	105	92
No. 5 or Middling [2]	80	85	80	75	75	75	85	85	85	65	79	74	57	52	143	165	158
No. 6 or Strict Low Middling [2]	130	135	130	125	130	130	135	135	135	110	130	121	86	88	200	230	221
No. 7 or Low Middling [2]	170	175	170	175	180	180	185	185	185	150	176	163	119	125	268	317	301
Light Yellow Stained:																	
No. 3 or Good Middling	45	45	45	40	40	45	40	40	40	40	42	40	33	39	120	130	108
No. 4 or Strict Middling [2]	80	85	80	75	75	75	85	85	85	70	80	74	59	63	165	188	163
No. 5 or Middling [2]	130	135	130	125	130	125	135	135	135	110	129	123	86	94	215	253	229
Yellow Stained:																	
No. 3 or Good Middling	80	85	80	75	75	75	85	85	85	65	79	73	52	50	145	155	137
No. 4 or Strict Middling [2]	130	135	130	125	130	130	135	135	135	110	130	121	87	87	200	240	209
No. 5 or Middling [2]	170	175	170	175	180	180	185	185	185	150	176	161	118	122	270	320	274
Gray:																	
No. 3 or Good Middling	30	30	30	25	25	25	25	25	25	25	27	25	20	20	75	85	69
No. 4 or Strict Middling	55	55	50	50	45	45	50	50	50	50	50	49	38	39	100	123	108
No. 5 or Middling [2]	85	85	80	75	75	75	85	85	85	75	81	78	63	61	140	170	145
Blue Stained:																	
No. 3 or Good Middling [2]	80	85	80	75	75	75	85	85	85	70	80	74	58	58	153	170	161
No. 4 or Strict Middling [2]	130	135	130	125	130	130	135	135	135	110	130	121	85	91	200	245	220
No. 5 or Middling [2]	170	175	170	175	180	180	185	185	185	150	176	163	118	118	268	325	292
Sales for week, bales		8		7	8,530	15	2,002	1,223	1,075	1,792	[3] 14,652	[3] 51,453	[3] 58,764	[3] 36,509	[3] 29,285	[3] 29,967	[3] 63,410

[1] The differences are stated in terms of points or hundredths of a cent per pound. By "On" is meant that the stated number of points is to be added to the price of no. 5 and by "Off" is meant that the stated number of points is to be subtracted from the price of no. 5.
[2] These grades are not tenderable on future contracts made subject to sec. 5 of the United States Cotton Futures Act, as amended, on the future exchanges at New York, New Orleans, and Chicago.
[3] Total sales. Sales from Aug. 1, 1934, to Apr. 6, 1935, amounted to 2,814,121 bales, compared with 4,677,408 bales during the corresponding period in 1934 and 4,528,170 bales in 1933.

Grain

Weekly Weighted Price per Bushel of Reported Cash Sales March 1935, with Comparisons of Monthly Averages

Wheat

Market and grade	Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
	Mar. 4–9	Mar. 11–16	Mar. 18–23	Mar. 25–30	1934 Mar.	1935 Jan.	1935 Feb.	1935 Mar.
CHICAGO	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.
Hd. Winter No. 2	105	100	101	104	88	107	105	103
Hd. Winter No. 3	100	99	100	------	86	105	103	100
Red Winter No. 2	99	95	93	96	89	103	100	97
Red Winter No. 3	98	------	93	------	87	100	100	96
MINNEAPOLIS								
Dk. No. Spring Heavy No. 1	116	112	113	117	[1] 90	118	117	115
Dk. No. Spring No. 1	113	111	111	115	89	118	115	113
Dk. No. Spring No. 2	112	110	109	113	89	119	114	112
No. Spring No. 1	------	------	------	------	88	110	------	------
No. Spring No. 2	110	------	------	------	86	------	112	111
Hd. Amber Durum No. 2	135	131	126	127	[2] 110	144	136	128
KANSAS CITY								
Dk. Hd. Winter No. 2	100	98	100	100	84	102	102	100
Dk. Hd. Winter No. 3	101	96	96	101	84	101	103	100
Hd. Winter No. 2	98	95	96	98	82	101	100	97
Hd. Winter No. 3	99	96	98	100	82	99	99	98
ST. LOUIS								
Hd. Winter No. 2	------	------	98	------	87	------	------	101
Red Winter No. 2	96	92	93	94	89	102	98	95
Red Winter No. 3	96	94	92	92	88	99	96	94
6 MARKETS [3] By classes (all grades)								
Hd. Red Spring	113	111	111	115	89	119	116	113
Durum	128	120	123	121	103	139	130	123
Red Durum	------	96	------	90	------	------	102	93
Hd. Red Winter	100	98	99	99	82	102	103	99
Soft Red Winter	97	94	93	95	87	101	97	95
All classes and grades	105	104	107	107	88	111	112	106
WINNIPEG (Cash close)								
No. Spring No. 1	80	80	81	83	66	79	79	81

Corn

Market and grade	Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
	Mar. 4–9	Mar. 11–16	Mar. 18–23	Mar. 25–30	1934 Mar.	1935 Jan.	1935 Feb.	1935 Mar.
CHICAGO								
White No. 2	------	90	89	88	51	102	97	89
White No. 3	90	88	86	87	51	98	94	89
Yellow No. 2	87	------	83	83	49	93	90	85
Yellow No. 3	84	83	80	82	49	91	88	83
KANSAS CITY								
White No. 2	------	94	92	93	46	104	99	93
White No. 3	94	91	88	90	46	101	98	91
Yellow No. 2	91	88	88	------	46	95	93	89
Yellow No. 3	89	86	86	88	45	96	92	88
ST. LOUIS								
White No. 2	------	------	------	------	61	100	98	------
White No. 3	90	------	84	84	50	99	94	86
Yellow No. 2	88	86	83	------	50	94	90	85
Yellow No. 3	86	84	83	84	49	93	89	85
FIVE MARKETS [3]								
All classes and grades	86	83	81	85	48	93	89	84

Oats, White

Market and grade	Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
	Mar. 4–9	Mar. 11–16	Mar. 18–23	Mar. 25–30	1934 Mar.	1935 Jan.	1935 Feb.	1935 Mar.
CHICAGO No. 3	52	50	47	47	33	56	54	49
MINNEAPOLIS No. 3	------	54	48	------	33	58	56	51
KANSAS CITY No. 3	56	54	------	52	33	60	57	54
ST. LOUIS No. 3	53	51	48	50	35	57	55	51

Rye

Market and grade	Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
	Mar. 4–9	Mar. 11–16	Mar. 18–23	Mar. 25–30	1934 Mar.	1935 Jan.	1935 Feb.	1935 Mar.
CHICAGO No. 2	------	------	------	------	61	------	------	------
MINNEAPOLIS No. 2	------	62	57	56	59	76	69	61

Barley

Market and grade	Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
	Mar. 4–9	Mar. 11–16	Mar. 18–23	Mar. 25–30	1934 Mar.	1935 Jan.	1935 Feb.	1935 Mar.
MINNEAPOLIS Malting No. 2	117	106	106	109	------	118	115	108
MINNEAPOLIS No. 2	106	97	101	94	------	109	108	101

Flaxseed

Market and grade	Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
	Mar. 4–9	Mar. 11–16	Mar. 18–23	Mar. 25–30	1934 Mar.	1935 Jan.	1935 Feb.	1935 Mar.
MINNEAPOLIS No. 1	181	181	177	183	182	197	191	181

[1] No. 1 Hard Spring.
[2] No. 2 Amber Durum.
[3] Duluth and Omaha included in wheat; Minneapolis and Omaha in corn.

Weekly Closing Prices of Futures, March 1935, with Comparisons of Monthly Averages

MAY FUTURES

Wheat

Market	Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
	Mar. 4–9	Mar. 11–16	Mar. 18–23	Mar. 25–30	1934 Mar.	1935 Jan.	1935 Feb.	1935 Mar.
	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.
Chicago	96	93	93	95	87	98	97	95
Minneapolis	103	101	102	103	84	105	104	102
Kansas City	93	91	92	94	79	95	93	93
Winnipeg [1]	83	82	83	84	68	83	83	83
Liverpool [1]	71	71	73	75	66	76	72	72

Corn

Market	Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
	Mar. 4–9	Mar. 11–16	Mar. 18–23	Mar. 25–30	1934 Mar.	1935 Jan.	1935 Feb.	1935 Mar.
Chicago	82	79	78	79	51	87	85	80
Kansas City	84	80	80	82	47	89	86	82

Oats

Market	Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
	Mar. 4–9	Mar. 11–16	Mar. 18–23	Mar. 25–30	1934 Mar.	1935 Jan.	1935 Feb.	1935 Mar.
Chicago	49	46	44	44	34	52	51	46
Winnipeg [1]	40	39	38	39	35	43	41	39

JULY FUTURES

Wheat

Market	Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
	Mar. 4–9	Mar. 11–16	Mar. 18–23	Mar. 25–30	1934 Mar.	1935 Jan.	1935 Feb.	1935 Mar.
Chicago	91	89	91	92	87	90	90	91
Minneapolis	100	97	98	100	84	100	99	99
Kansas City	87	86	87	89	80	86	87	87
Winnipeg [1]	83	82	82	84	70	83	82	83
Liverpool [1]	74	73	75	78	69	77	75	75

Corn

Market	Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
	Mar. 4–9	Mar. 11–16	Mar. 18–23	Mar. 25–30	1934 Mar.	1935 Jan.	1935 Feb.	1935 Mar.
Chicago	78	75	74	74	53	83	80	75
Kansas City	80	77	76	76	49	85	82	77

Oats

Market	Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
	Mar. 4–9	Mar. 11–16	Mar. 18–23	Mar. 25–30	1934 Mar.	1935 Jan.	1935 Feb.	1935 Mar.
Chicago	42	40	39	39	34	46	43	40
Winnipeg [1]	40	39	38	39	36	43	41	39

[1] Conversions at current rate of exchange.

Commercial Grain Stocks in Store at Principal U. S. Markets

[At the close of the week ended Apr. 6, 1935, according to reports to the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics]

Domestic Grain in Store and Afloat at U. S. Markets

[Thousand bushels]

Market group	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye	Barley	Flax
Atlantic coast	917	1,141	863	1,199	187	0
Gulf coast	254	29	8	0	0	0
Northwestern and upper lake	10,085	4,687	6,366	3,080	4,795	822
Lower lake	11,487	6,367	3,779	5,311	4,202	0
East central	4,764	1,640	874	135	30	0
West central, southwestern, and western	19,029	5,370	1,554	43	43	0
Pacific coast	2,916	482	983	0	1,903	0
Total, current week	49,452	19,716	14,427	9,768	11,160	822
Total, previous week (revised)	51,882	21,352	15,656	9,652	11,757	877
Total, year ago	94,924	64,833	37,007	11,482	14,312	956

Canadian Grain in Store in Bond at U. S. Markets

Total current week	15,179	--------	0	0	880	0
Total previous week (revised)	16,321	--------	0	0	1,158	0
Total, year ago	4,284	--------	0	81	0	0

U. S. Grain in Store in Bond at Canadian Markets

Total, current week	1,049	5,231	38	0	0	--------
Total, previous week (revised)	1,049	5,289	55	0	0	--------
Total, year ago	2,229	6,634	67	0	0	--------

Stocks of other grain in United States current week—from Argentina, wheat 309,000 bushels, corn 645,765, oats 1,255,019 rye, 104,000, barley 22,000; from Poland, rye 929,000, barley 529,000; from Russia, oats 396,000; from Latvia, rye 79,006; and from South Africa, corn 60,000 bushels.

Hay–Feed–Seeds

Receipts of Hay at Important Markets

March 1935, with Comparisons

Market	March 1935	July–March 1934–35	March 1934	July–March 1933–34
	Cars	*Cars*	*Cars*	*Cars*
Boston	84	658	86	668
New York	100	965	190	1,850
Pittsburgh	11	190	20	502
Cincinnati	38	491	64	515
Chicago	206	2,130	125	1,123
Minneapolis–St. Paul	298	1,658	90	1,171
St. Louis	7	336	37	539
Omaha	320	3,220	410	3,635
Kansas City	1,079	9,646	427	3,027
Los Angeles [1]	799	8,869	955	10,132
San Francisco	59	392	37	488
Denver [2]	82	802	128	958
Total	3,083	29,357	2,569	24,608

[1] Includes receipts by truck in city proper, and at nearby distributing points.
[2] Includes receipts by truck.

Monthly Average [1] Prices Per Ton of Hay and Straw in Carloads at Important Markets, March 1935

Commodity	Chicago	Kansas City	Los Angeles	San Francisco	Portland	Commodity	St. Louis	Minneapolis and St. Paul
	Dol.	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*	*Dol.*		*Dol.*	*Dol.*
U. S. No. 1 Timothy	24.50	-----	-----	-----	-----	No. 1 Timothy	22.50	22.00
U. S. No. 2 Timothy	22.50	-----	-----	-----	-----	No. 2 Timothy	19.50	21.00
U. S. No. 1 Tim. Lht. Clo. Mxd	24.50	-----	-----	-----	-----			
U. S. No. 2 Tim. Lht. Clo. Mxd	22.50	-----	-----	-----	-----			
						No. 1 Clover Mxd	21.75	-----
U. S. No. 1 Clover	19.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	No. 1 Clover	17.00	-----
U. S. No. 2 Clover	18.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	No. 2 Clover	15.00	-----
U. S. No. 1 Ex. Lfy Alfalfa	25.25	26.30	-----	-----	-----	No. 1 Alfalfa	[2] 19.75	21.50
U. S. No. 1 Alfalfa	-----	22.75	14.20	15.05	17.25	Standard Alfalfa	-----	20.50
U. S. No. 2 Leafy Alfalfa	-----	21.75	13.50	13.50	-----	No. 2 Alfalfa	[2] 17.75	19.50
U. S. No. 2 Alfalfa	-----	21.00	13.05	12.50	15.75	No. 1 Upland	21.40	21.25
U. S. No. 3 Alfalfa	-----	18.75	-----	-----	-----	No. 2 Upland	18.40	19.40
U. S. No. 1 Upland Prairie	-----	18.75	-----	-----	-----	No. 1 Midland	-----	17.60
U. S. No. 2 Upland Prairie	-----	17.50	-----	-----	-----			
Wheat straw	9.50	-----	-----	-----	-----	Wheat straw	-----	9.25
						Oat straw	-----	10.60
Rye straw	11.50	-----	-----	-----	-----	Rye straw	-----	9.25

[1] Average of bulk-of-sales price for 1 day each week.
[2] Native.

Alfalfa Meal: Production, United States, 1934–35 with Comparisons

Month	1934–35		1933–34		1932–33	
	Monthly	Cumulative	Monthly	Cumulative	Monthly	Cumulative
	Short tons	*Short tons*	*Short tons*	*Short tons*	*Short tons*	*Short tons*
June	24,594	24,594	26,701	26,701	14,803	14,803
July	21,814	46,408	21,762	48,463	17,008	31,811
August	20,592	67,000	18,127	66,590	15,446	47,257
September	18,481	85,481	18,660	85,250	19,145	66,402
October	17,038	102,519	22,090	107,340	18,117	84,519
November	15,116	117,635	16,639	123,979	12,388	96,907
December	14,198	131,833	16,222	140,201	12,933	109,840
January	9,483	141,316	15,299	155,500	10,963	120,903
February	8,749	150,065	12,324	167,824	10,119	130,922
March	[1] 10,184	160,249	11,584	179,408	10,067	140,989
April	-----	-----	12,278	191,686	12,245	153,234
May	-----	-----	14,747	206,433	15,969	169,203
Monthly average	-----	-----	17,203	-----	14,100	-----

[1] Preliminary.

Imports of Forage Plant Seeds

Reported by the Division of Seed Investigations, Bureau of Plant Industry

Permitted Entry into the United States under the Federal Seed Act

Kind of seed	March 1935	March 1934	July 1, 1934, to Mar. 31, 1935	July 1, 1933, to Mar. 31, 1934
	Pounds	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Pounds*
Alfalfa	10,600	13,500	[1] 115,400	35,500
Bluegrass, Canada	3,660	12,300	[2] 90,800	93,300
Bromegrass, awnless	25,600	100	[2] 297,000	100
Clover, alsike	-----	-----	[2] 700	-----
Clover, crimson	-----	-----	[3] 196,700	1,977,000
Clover, red	10,500	-----	[4] 63,400	-----
Clover, white	42,500	128,400	[5] 915,700	796,700
Millet, foxtail	1,476,300	-----	[6] 2,234,700	-----
Mixtures, clover	1,400	-----	[7] 1,400	11,000
Mixtures, grass	-----	-----	[8] 600	300
Orchard grass	135,600	-----	[9] 260,500	5,100
Rape, winter	129,400	84,100	[10] 7,398,400	4,481,000
Ryegrass, perennial	3,100	98,400	[11] 378,400	484,200
Ryegrass, Italian	1,800	-----	[12] 33,800	21,900
Timothy	862,200	-----	[13] 3,265,400	-----
Vetch, hairy	-----	6,600	[2] 21,800	3,140,500
Vetch, Hungarian	-----	-----	-----	269,700
Vetch, spring	-----	10,900	[14] 8,800	654,300
Not Subject to the Federal Seed Act				
Bentgrass	-----	12,000	8,100	37,400
Bromegrass (not awnless)	-----	-----	4,000	1,100
Clover, bur	-----	-----	-----	4,400
Clover, strawberry	-----	-----	100	-----
Clover, subterranean	-----	-----	500	300
Clover, suckling	3,000	-----	17,600	11,600
Dogtail, crested	200	-----	11,600	1,300
Fescue, Chewings	600	66,100	576,100	829,800
Fescue, other	22,500	35,200	51,400	140,500
Foxtail, meadow	100	-----	100	-----
Grass, annual meadow	-----	-----	5,300	2,000
Grass, carpet	-----	-----	9,600	1,800
Grass, Dallis	-----	-----	30,500	1,500
Grass, guinea	100	-----	100	-----
Grass, rescue	-----	-----	3,400	4,400
Grass, Rhodes	-----	-----	8,900	1,600
Grass, rough-stalked meadow	11,500	10,900	265,000	286,600
Grass, Sudan	890,100	-----	3,272,400	-----
Grass, sweet vernal	-----	-----	100	200
Grass, velvet	-----	-----	600	-----
Grass, wood meadow	100	1,000	100	6,800
Millet, Japanese	-----	-----	283,500	-----
Peas, winter field	-----	-----	72,500	2,712,100
Redtop	-----	-----	200	-----
Sweetclover, white	300	500	3,600	500
Trefoil, bird's foot	-----	-----	100	-----
Trefoil, yellow	2,000	-----	10,200	2,000
Vetch, purple	-----	-----	100	-----
Wheatgrass, crested	600	-----	3,300	-----
Wheatgrass, slender	-----	15,000	96,900	16,000
Yarrow	-----	-----	2,100	500

[1] 115,200 pounds from Canada (30,900 pounds American goods returned); 200 pounds from Australia.
[2] From Canada.
[3] From Hungary.
[4] 63,100 pounds from Great Britain (American goods returned); 200 pounds from Denmark; 100 pounds from Canada.
[5] 706,500 pounds from Poland; 197,500 pounds from Germany (190,300 pounds of Polish origin); 10,100 pounds from Great Britain (4,200 pounds of Polish origin); 1,100 pounds from Canada (of Polish origin); 200 pounds from Australia; 200 pounds from Italy; 100 pounds from Denmark.
[6] 1,612,200 pounds from Manchuria; 460,300 pounds from Hungary; 65,500 pounds from Germany (of Hungarian origin); 56,700 pounds from Canada; 40,000 pounds from China.
[7] From Great Britain (of New Zealand origin).
[8] From Denmark.
[9] 230,100 pounds from Denmark; 22,400 pounds from Great Britain (of Danish origin); 8,000 pounds from Japan.
[10] 7,197,400 pounds from Japan; 170,600 pounds from the Netherlands; 21,700 pounds from Belgium; 5,600 pounds from Hungary; 3,100 pounds from Great Britain.
[11] 136,500 pounds from Ireland; 135,300 pounds from Great Britain (103,900 pounds of Irish origin); 90,400 pounds from New Zealand; 16,100 pounds from Denmark (14,100 pounds of British origin); 100 pounds from Australia.
[12] 23,000 pounds from New Zealand; 5,500 pounds from Denmark; 5,200 pounds from Great Britain (of Irish origin); 100 pounds from Australia.
[13] 1,541,000 pounds from Canada; 551,500 pounds from Great Britain (260,800 pounds of Swedish origin; 283,900 pounds of Finnish origin; 6,700 pounds of Polish origin); 373,200 pounds from Sweden (43,400 pounds of Finnish origin); 283,600 pounds from Poland; 267,700 pounds from Germany (135,700 pounds of Swedish origin; 22,100 pounds of Czechoslovakian origin; 22,000 pounds of Finnish origin; 22,000 pounds of Latvian origin); 132,000 pounds from Latvia; 53,000 pounds from Denmark (39,600 pounds of Latvian origin; 13,400 pounds of Lithuanian origin); 52,500 pounds from Finland; 10,900 pounds from the Netherlands.
[14] From Belgium.

The opposite movements of prices of farm products and prices of articles farmers buy since mid-February reduced the March 15 ratio of prices received to prices paid 3 points to 84, or the lowest figure recorded this year. Prices of farm products averaged 70 percent of parity in March 1934.

Average [1] Prices of Feedstuffs at Important Markets, March 1935

[Per ton, bagged, in car lots, sight-draft basis]

Commodity	Boston	Philadelphia	Buffalo	Pittsburgh	Cincinnati	Chicago	Milwaukee	Minneapolis	St. Louis	Memphis	Atlanta	Kansas City	Omaha	Fort Worth	Denver	Los Angeles	San Francisco	Portland, Oreg.
	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.
Standard spring wheat bran	29.90	30.00	26.65	------	------	26.15	26.20	24.90	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Soft winter wheat bran	------	------	------	------	30.15	------	------	------	26.70	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Hard winter wheat bran	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	26.70	29.40	33.40	26.80	26.55	31.30	27.00	------	------	------
Standard spring wheat middlings	29.65	29.90	26.25	------	------	26.25	26.15	24.90	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Spring wheat flour middlings	------	------	29.40	------	32.00	29.40	29.00	27.00	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Soft winter wheat middlings	------	------	------	------	30.75	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Brown winter wheat shorts	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	28.15	28.15	------	------	------	------	------
Gray winter wheat shorts	------	------	------	------	30.90	------	------	------	28.10	30.25	33.40	29.05	29.00	32.90	33.75	------	30.65	27.00
Red Dog flour for feed	34.00	------	30.00	------	------	30.05	------	------	------	------	------	32.80	32.50	------	------	------	------	------
Wheat mixed feed	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	28.00	28.55	27.60	23.75
Linseed meal (34 percent)	34.25	34.65	33.75	------	41.00	37.15	[2]40.15	[2]38.40	38.90	------	------	[2]41.70	[2]42.90	[2]47.45	[2]46.85	34.15	34.00	36.25
Cottonseed meal (43 percent)	41.80	------	------	------	------	38.30	------	40.50	------	------	------	39.55	40.85	40.00	42.95	------	32.50	------
Cottonseed meal (41 percent)	39.65	36.05	36.75	------	36.40	36.30	36.55	38.50	------	30.80	33.75	------	38.85	------	------	32.80	32.50	37.75
Cottonseed meal (36 percent)	37.50	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	31.80	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Digester feeding tankage (60 percent)	------	------	------	------	------	43.75	------	43.75	------	------	------	43.75	43.75	------	------	------	------	------
No. 1 alfalfa meal (medium)	------	------	------	------	------	28.50	------	------	27.40	------	33.75	24.70	26.65	------	------	21.00	20.25	------
Gluten feed	34.50	32.50	31.35	------	32.65	27.45	29.25	30.65	27.45	------	35.65	27.45	------	32.35	------	------	------	------
Gluten meal	39.50	------	36.35	------	------	32.45	34.25	35.65	32.45	------	------	31.70	------	------	------	------	------	------
White hominy feed	32.25	32.20	30.25	------	29.50	------	30.90	------	------	------	33.25	31.15	32.00	33.50	------	------	------	------
Yellow hominy feed	------	------	31.25	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	33.00	------	------	------	------	------
Dried beet pulp	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	43.60	33.25	------	------	------	29.00	25.00	------
Soybean meal	------	------	38.85	------	------	37.10	36.20	37.80	35.85	------	------	38.65	------	------	------	30.90	30.65	32.50
Copra meal	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	23.80	25.00	------

[1] Average of bulk-of-sales price for 1 day each week.

[2] 37 percent protein.

Western Livestock and Range Report, April 1, 1935

(17 Western States)

Feed on western ranges is very short, with little moisture for new feed. Livestock are in only fair condition, but losses have been light, according to the monthly Livestock and Range Report.

Ranges.—Range and pasture feed conditions in the Great Plains sections are the poorest on record. Ranges west of the main range are only fair, except that California and Arizona have the best feed in years. The Great Plains area covering eastern Montana, the western Dakotas, eastern two-thirds of Wyoming, western Nebraska, western Kansas, western Oklahoma, western Texas, eastern half of Colorado, and eastern two-thirds of New Mexico, has little feed and a serious shortage of moisture. This entire area has practically no old feed and no moisture to start new grass. Recent wind and dust storms have made the situation acute. Feed conditions in eastern Kansas, the eastern two-thirds of Oklahoma, north central and northeast Texas, are fair to good. In Utah, Nevada, eastern Oregon, and northwestern Colorado, feed conditions are fair, but late; in some places more moisture is needed. Feed prospects are good in western Oregon, western Washington, northern Idaho, the western half of Montana, northwestern and western Wyoming, western New Mexico, and southwestern Colorado. Hay and feed supplies are practically exhausted in the Great Plains area. The condition of ranges is 64 percent of normal, compared with 61 percent last month, 78 percent a year ago, and the 10-year average of 83.3 percent.

Cattle.—Cattle continue in thin flesh in the dry areas, but there was some improvement in condition in California, Arizona, Oklahoma, and parts of Texas. The continued drought in the Great Plains area will make it necessary to move cattle. Some cattle have been shipped and owners are planning to move cattle to feed. Breeding cows are thin and calf crop prospects are only fair. Cattle losses will be heavy if storms are severe. California and Arizona will have the largest supply of grass-fat beef in several years. More rain is needed for cattle ranges in south Texas. The condition of cattle and calves is 73 percent of normal, compared with 72 percent last month, 81 percent a year ago, and the 10-year average of 85.5 percent

Sheep.—Sheep are in thin flesh over most of the range area except in California and Arizona. Mild open weather has resulted in light losses. Considerable supplemental feeding continued. Ewes are thin and there is little feed on spring sheep ranges, with short feed on trails leading to summer ranges. The lamb crop will depend largely on weather conditions, but present indications are that the crop will be light in many areas. Early lambs made excellent gains in California and Arizona, but somewhat poorer gains in Idaho, Oregon, and Washington. Texas has few early lambs, with the yearlings and aged sheep in thin flesh, so spring shipments will be very light. Wool sales and contracting have been very limited. The condition of sheep is 79 percent of normal, compared with 78 percent last month, 87 percent a year ago, and the 10-year average of 88.9 percent.

Index Numbers of Prices Received and Paid by Farmers

Year and month	Index numbers of prices received (August 1909–July 1914=100)								Retail prices paid for commodities used (1910–14=100)			Ratio of prices received to prices paid
	Grains	Cotton and cottonseed	Fruits	Truck crops	Meat animals	Dairy products	Chickens and eggs	All groups	Living	Production	Living and production [1]	
1910	104	113	101	-----	103	99	104	102	98	98	98	104
1911	96	101	102	-----	87	95	91	95	100	103	101	94
1912	106	87	94	-----	95	102	100	100	101	98	100	100
1913	92	97	107	-----	108	105	101	101	100	102	101	100
1914	102	85	91	-----	112	102	106	101	102	99	100	101
1915	120	77	82	-----	104	103	101	98	107	104	105	93
1916	126	119	100	-----	120	109	116	118	124	124	124	95
1917	217	187	118	-----	174	135	155	175	147	151	149	117
1918	227	245	172	-----	203	163	186	202	177	174	176	115
1919	233	247	178	-----	207	186	209	213	210	192	202	105
1920	232	248	191	-----	174	198	223	211	222	174	201	105
1921	112	101	157	-----	109	156	162	125	161	141	152	82
1922	106	156	174	-----	114	143	141	132	156	139	149	89
1923	113	216	137	-----	107	159	146	142	160	141	152	93
1924	129	212	125	150	110	149	149	143	150	143	152	94
1925	157	177	172	153	140	153	163	156	164	147	157	99
1926	131	122	138	143	147	152	159	145	162	146	155	94
1927	128	128	144	121	140	155	144	139	159	145	153	91
1928	130	152	176	159	151	158	153	149	160	148	155	96
1929	120	144	141	149	156	157	162	146	158	147	153	95
1930	109	102	162	140	133	137	129	126	148	140	145	87
1931	63	63	98	117	92	108	100	87	126	122	124	70
1932	44	47	82	102	63	83	82	65	108	107	107	61
1933	62	64	74	105	60	82	75	70	109	108	109	64
1934	93	99	100	104	68	96	89	90	-----	-----	-----	-----
1933:												
January	35	45	70	91	51	81	95	60	-----	-----	102	59
February	34	44	64	96	53	74	60	55	-----	-----	101	54
March	36	48	65	92	56	71	56	55	99	101	100	55
April	47	49	69	74	57	72	58	58	-----	-----	101	57
May	63	65	74	89	65	78	65	68	-----	-----	102	67
June	63	69	86	111	66	80	58	71	102	104	103	69
July	94	84	81	102	66	88	69	83	-----	-----	107	78
August	81	71	74	95	64	85	69	79	-----	-----	112	71
September	78	69	78	147	62	89	78	80	117	114	116	69
October	69	71	77	123	64	91	93	78	-----	-----	116	67
November	75	76	70	127	59	92	102	80	-----	-----	116	69
December	73	77	74	114	52	88	94	78	117	114	116	67
1934:												
January	76	82	86	102	55	84	82	77	-----	-----	117	66
February	79	93	87	101	65	92	78	83	-----	-----	119	70
March	79	94	97	79	66	95	74	84	121	119	120	70
April	77	94	96	98	64	91	72	82	-----	-----	120	68
May	78	90	110	89	64	91	72	82	-----	-----	121	68
June	89	94	137	80	64	93	72	86	122	121	121	71
July	91	99	113	102	66	94	76	87	-----	-----	122	71
August	106	107	101	108	68	97	86	96	-----	-----	125	77
September	112	110	93	133	82	99	104	103	123	129	126	82
October	109	107	98	110	74	100	108	102	-----	-----	126	81
November	109	107	94	107	72	105	125	101	-----	-----	126	80
December	116	109	85	130	73	107	119	101	122	131	126	80
1935:												
January	115	108	87	117	96	112	114	107	-----	-----	[2]126	[2]85
February	114	108	89	188	105	121	119	111	-----	-----	[2]127	[2]87
March	111	102	90	162	117	114	97	108	-----	-----	[2]128	[2]84

[1] These index numbers are based on retail prices paid by farmers for commodities used in living and production reported quarterly for March, June, September, and December. The indexes for other months are straight interpolations between the successive quarterly indexes.

[2] Preliminary.

The Price Situation

Summary as of April 15, 1935

Farm Prices.—Market prices indicate that the general level of farm prices is somewhat higher than a month ago. Prices of butter, livestock, grains, and potatoes have increased since mid-March. Reduced supplies of early potatoes, unfavorable crop conditions in a large part of the winter Wheat Belt, and low butter production have contributed to the recent rise in prices of these commodites.

During the next few months farm prices generally, especially for crops, will be influenced by weather conditions. If crop and pasture conditions are favorable there may be some reduction in prices of feeds. Prices of dairy products are expected to decline somewhat with the advance of the pasture and crop season. Wool prices have recently improved as a result of the stronger demand both in domestic and foreign wool markets. Hog prices probably will continue on a high level during the spring and summer months. Cattle and lamb prices may continue near present levels.

Wholesale prices.—The general level of wholesale prices declined about 1 percent during March to 115 percent of the pre-war average compared with 108 in March 1934. Most of the late March decline was the result of lower prices for farm products and foods. Prices of chemicals and drugs also declined somewhat in late March.

Wheat.—Present conditions in the United States suggest that wheat prices during the next month will average higher than February levels. Crop developments, however, will be of primary importance in influencing the market. Continued moisture deficiency in parts of the winter wheat area, including western Nebraska, Kansas, and Oklahoma, the Texas Panhandle and eastern Colorado and New Mexico, has resulted in a large proportion of the acreage being abandoned. In the worst sections of this area, complete loss of acreage was reported, as of April 1, while abandonment of about 28 percent of the entire winter wheat sown acreage was indicated. Condition of winter wheat was reported at 69.8 percent of normal, compared with 74.3 percent on the same date in 1934 and the 10-year average (1923–32) April 1 condition of 78.9 percent. Production of winter wheat in 1935, based on April 1 condition, was forecast by the Crop Reporting Board at 435,499,000 bushels, compared with 405,034,000 bushels produced in 1934 and 350,792,000 bushels in 1933. Recent advances in world prices are also a strengthening influence on our domestic markets. Liverpool prices of May futures rose sharply from mid-March to early April, largely as the result of an increase in European import demand and a decrease in overseas shipments. The increase in European demand is in part due to war fears which have resulted in the increasing of stocks as a reserve in case of possible trouble.

Corn and Other Feeds.—Feed grain prices declined in the first 3 weeks of March, influenced by continued relatively heavy importations of foreign feeds, prospects of large supplies of Argentine corn, reduced feed requirements in the United States, and a recession in the level of prices of speculative commodities. Some recovery occurred in the last week of March and the first week of April, with a decrease in imports, and unusually rapid disappearance of domestic market stocks. The advance in prices may be considered temporary, since prospects suggest a slight downward trend in prices. A larger corn acreage will be seeded this spring than a year ago, and moisture conditions in the Corn Belt are generally favorable. A larger acreage of other feed crops is also expected. Imports of feed grains, particularly of Argentine corn, may increase as supplies become available from a large harvest. "Grass time" will provide a solution to many feeding problems, especially those arising out of the scarcity of feeds and hay. Spring meadows and pastures were in good condition east of the Mississippi River early in April, but both pastures and ranges were poor in the Plains area.

Rice.—Southern and California rice markets strengthened during February and March. The enactment of legislation providing for a rice processing tax effective April 1 was the principal influencing factor. A prospective increase in export sales, and a building-up of domestic jobbers' and wholesalers' stocks developed a speculative demand for remaining old-crop supplies. It is yet too early to foresee the effect of the new program, but if a moderate increase in exports materializes, the August 1 carry-over will be reduced to more nearly normal proportions. A firm price situation may be expected for the spring and early summer months.

Potatoes.—Potato prices at market centers declined slightly during the first 3 weeks of March but rose sharply during the first week of April. The recent advance more than offset the earlier declines in March and now prices in nearly all markets are averaging above those of a month ago. Much of this change in the market situation may be attributed directly to the scarcity of southern early potatoes, to the recent sharp price advances of other vegetables such as onions and cabbage, and to the slight improvement in general demand conditions. Present prospects indicate that the supplies of new potatoes will be relatively short this season until the North Carolina crop begins to move to market in June. The March 1 intentions report indicates that the 37 late and intermediate potato States probably will have about the same acreage for harvest in 1935 as in 1934, which, if average yields are obtained, would indicate a total United States crop of 357,000,000 bushels or only slightly more than an average crop.

Tobacco.—Prices at auction floor markets for the Kentucky-Tennessee fire-cured types of tobacco during March showed little change from the preceding month, with Kentucky market averages per pound being 7.5 cents for type 22, 5.8 cents for type 23, and 5.1 cents for type 24, according to State reports. Auction floor markets for the 1934 crop of all other types of tobacco have closed for the season, with preliminary season average prices indicated by reports of the respective State Departments of Agriculture and of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration approximately as follows: Flue-cured, 27 cents; Burley, 17 cents, and dark air-cured, 8 cents.

Hogs.—The sharp rise in hog prices which took place during February and early March was followed by a relatively short seasonal decline which carried the Chicago weekly average down about 75 cents per 100 pounds in a period of 2 weeks. Prices have since strengthened somewhat and in view of the very small slaughter supplies in prospect during the spring and summer seem likely to continue on a high level.

Cattle.—Prices of cattle continued to advance during the first half of March, the advance being especially large on lower grade steers. During the third week in March prices received the first considerable set-back they have had since the advance began late in December. But this recession proved to be only temporary and by the end of the first week in April prices of all kinds and grades of slaughter cattle had reached a new peak. The top price of beaf steers at Chicago reached $14.65, the highest since December 1930. Supplies of cattle in March, while small compared with March 1934, were large compared with supplies in March for the 5 years 1929 to 1933. Supplies of fed cattle are expected to continue small for the next 5 or 6 months, at least. During the next 2 months, prices of the lower grade beef steers are expected to make some further seasonal advance and the spread between choice and eommon steers to narrow further. Any further considerable advance in the better grades before the middle of the year is less likely.

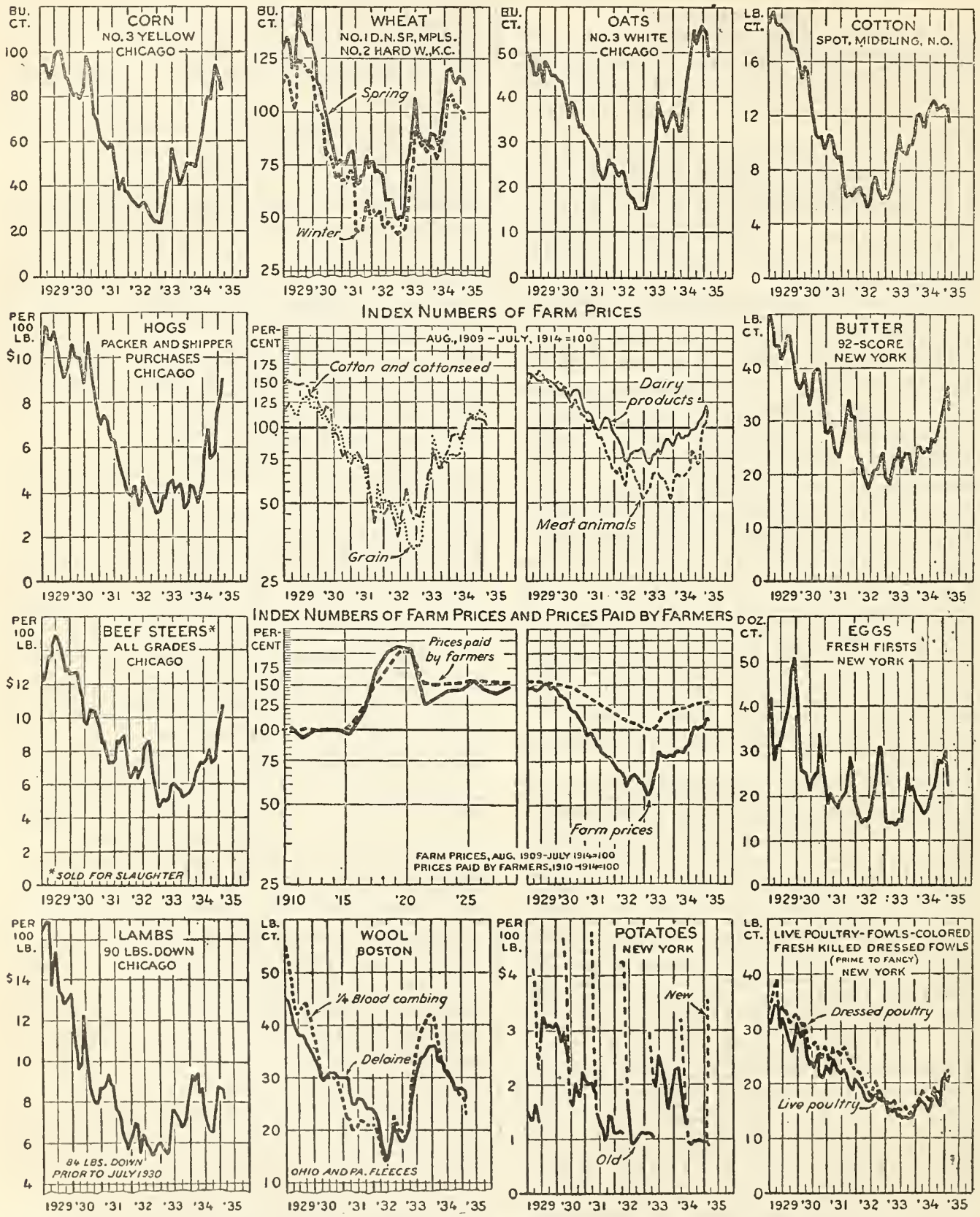
Butter.—Butter prices increased sharply from the middle of March to early April and the margin between domestic and foreign prices increased. Imports of butter in February were large compared with imports in other recent years, and about 3 percent as large as production. Butter production is light, but consumer expenditures for butter show a marked increase over 1934. When cows are turned on pasture after being fed short rations during the winter it is probable that there will be more than the usuall seasonal increase in production.

Cheese.—Cheese prices declined seasonally from February to March. Production is decidedly less than in 1934 but stocks and imports are larger. Trade output in February was lower than in the same month of the preceding year but consumer expenditures were about the same. With the probability of considerably better pastures than in 1934, the outlook is for a relatively sharp increase in production when grass is available.

Lambs.—Prices of slaughter lambs declined further during March and at the close of the month were at the lowest level since the latter part of December at which time a sharp advance took place. Supplies of lambs in April and May are expected to continue fairly large. In view of the supply situation for the next 2 months any considerable price improvement in fed lambs hardly seems likely . After the end of May, however, some improvement in the spring lamb price is probable.

Wool.—The domestic wool clip for 1935 is expected to be reduced somewhat as a result of a 5-percent reduction in sheep numbers and the poor condition of sheep and ranges during the current wool-growing period. Present prospects indicate that the clip will be smaller than for any of the last 4 years and may not differ greatly from that of 1929 when production of shorn wool amounted to 328,000,000 pounds. Shorn-wool production in the United States reached the record of 372,000,000 pounds in 1931 and was estimated at 358,000.000 pounds in 1934. Shearing of the new clip is now under way in the Western States and large offerings of this wool will soon be available. Recent improvement in demand conditions in both domestic and foreign markets indicates some strengthening in the wool price, although no marked rise in domestic wool prices is expected in the next few months.

Price Movements of Important Agricultural Products



This set of charts shows the price situation of agricultural products at a glance. The charts forming the border display prices which are considered to be fairly typical of the market price movements of the major agricultural products. The upper chart in the center shows the movement of prices of cotton and cottonseed, grain, dairy products, and meat animals. The lower center chart shows the movement of prices of 47 farm products combined and retail prices of commodities farmers buy.

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